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CHARACTERS

(in the order in which they appear)

NADINA.....Daughter of Colonel Popoff
AURELIA.....Her Mother
MASCHA.....Aurelia's cousin
BUMERLI.....A Swiss Mercenary in the Bulgarian Army
KATINKA }
STEPHAN }Colonel Popoff's Servants
KASIMIR POPOFF.....Colonel in the Bulgarian Army
ALEXIUS SPIRIDOFF.....Major in the Bulgarian Army,
Betrothed to Nadina Popoff.

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Argument.

The story of "The Chocolate Soldier" which is based on George Bernard Shaw's brilliant satirical comedy, "Arms and the Man" closely follows the incidents, situations, and structure of the original story. The only changes made necessary for the Lyric stage are patent to the reader of the original. The scene of the opera is laid near the Dragoman Pass, Bulgaria, 1885. Servia and Bulgaria are at war. The family of Col. Popoff, of the Bulgarian army, consisting of the daughter, Nadina, her cousin Mascha, and the mother, Aurelia, are esconced in their home, fearful of the approaching engagement between the conflicting armies. Nadina, a romantic maiden, is in love with Alexius, a young Bulgarian who has become a hero amongst his countrymen for his brilliant Cavalry charge against the Servians. This young officer is idealized by Nadina, and she is filled with complete admiration for his conquests.

Lieut. Bumerli, a young Swiss officer, attached to the commissary department of the Servian forces, is attacked by the patrol whom he eludes by climbing into Nadina's boudoir. His suave manners, compelling arguments and quick wit under his difficulties force Nadina to conceal him, against her will, and he is saved by the three women who greatly admire his youthful mien and carriage. Later Bumerli, who has engaged in this flirtation with Nadina to save his life, falls in love with her and she, almost against her will, yields her affections to the business-like, scientific Swiss soldier, who shows the half-savage Bulgarians what training and education accomplish against their bombast and mock heroics.

The sentiment of "The Chocolate Soldier" is evolved by the love affairs of Bumerli and Nadina, Mascha and Alexius. The comedy situations are furnished by the episode of Col. Popoff's house coat which is delivered to Bumerli in order to make his escape; its return, and the fact that the photographs of the three women are hidden in the coat, make unusually funny scenes when the participants are thrown together during the succeeding scenes and situations.

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No 1

The Chocolate Soldier

ACT I

Introduction, Chorus and Trio

(Nadina, Mascha, Aurelia, and Chorus of Soldiers)

English Words by
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OSCAR STRAUS

Tempo di Marcia Moderato.

Piano.

The musical score consists of five systems of piano accompaniment. The first system is marked 'pp' and 'Tempo di Marcia Moderato.' The second system is marked 'poco cresc.' The third system is marked 'cresc.' and 'mf'. The fourth system is marked 'p'. The fifth system is marked 'p' and 'mf'. The score includes various musical notations such as treble and bass staves, notes, rests, and dynamic markings.

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No 1b We Are Marching Through The Night.

MALE CHORUS.

TENORS. (behind the scene.)

We are march-ing through the night, March-ing left, march-ing right.

BASSES.

See the

pp

For our sweet-hearts we are pin-ing, Pret-ty maid-ens we would kiss_ Oh! the

moon and stars are shin-ing;

bliss; That we miss!

2/4

The musical score is written for a male chorus and piano accompaniment. It is in 2/4 time and consists of four systems of music. The first system shows the male chorus (Tenors and Basses) and the piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: 'We are march-ing through the night, March-ing left, march-ing right. See the'. The second system continues the lyrics: 'For our sweet-hearts we are pin-ing, Pret-ty maid-ens we would kiss_ Oh! the moon and stars are shin-ing;'. The third system continues the lyrics: 'bliss; That we miss!'. The fourth system shows the piano accompaniment with a 2/4 time signature and a repeat sign.

First system of the musical score, measures 1-3. The vocal line (treble and bass staves) is in common time (C) with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are: "Sol - diers we who love to fight, Day and". The piano accompaniment (grand staff) features a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes.

Second system of the musical score, measures 4-5. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "night, day and night; Then for wife and home we're sigh-ing, or some". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern.

Third system of the musical score, measures 6-8. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "But when en - e-mies are fly-ing,". The piano accompaniment includes a *cresc.* (crescendo) marking in measure 8. The system ends with a double bar line.

Fourth system of the musical score, measures 9-10. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "maid-en young and sweet, young and sweet, what a treat!". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern.

Fifth system of the musical score, measures 11-13. The vocal line continues with the lyrics: "maid-en young and sweet, young and sweet, what a treat!". The piano accompaniment continues with the same rhythmic pattern. The system ends with a double bar line.

10
No 1^o Trio We Too, Are Lonely.

Same tempo.

NADINA.
Fight - ing for du - ty;

MARCHA.
Fight - ing for du - ty;

AURELIA.
Fight - ing for du - ty;

mf

N.
Sigh - ing for beau - ty, Each sol - dier

M.
Sigh - ing for beau - ty, Each sol - dier

A.
Sigh - ing for beau - ty, Each sol - dier

N.
lad. They sigh not on - ly;

M.
lad. They sigh not on - ly;

A.
lad. They sigh not on - ly;

(Trumpets on stage.)

N. we, too, are lone - ly, Ah! lone - - - ly and

M. we, too, are lone - ly, Ah! lone - - - ly and

A. we, too, are lone - ly, Ah! lone - - - ly and

cresc.

N. sad. Oh, how we miss them, long to kiss them, our

M. sad. Oh, how we miss them, long to kiss them, our

A. sad. Oh, how we miss them, long to kiss them, our

f

N. sol-diers brave and strong; We would be mat - ing, don't keep us wait - ing too

M. sol-diers brave and strong; We would be mat - ing, don't keep us wait - ing too

A. sol-diers brave and strong; We would be mat - ing, don't keep us wait - ing too

ff

Nº 14 We Are Searching For The Foe.

N. long, too long.

M. long, too long.

A. long, too long.

MALE CHORUS.

Nº 14 We Are Searching For The Foe.

We are search - ing for the foe, High and

low, high and low; Soon his

Search - ing for the foe in hid - ing,

p

fate we'll be de - ci - ding, When we find him he shall die, He shall

cresc.

die, sure - ly die.

P dim. e morendo.

pp

ppp

Nº 1^e What Can We Do Without A Man.

Rubato.
NADINA.
They have left.

MASCHA.
And we be-reft.

AURELIA.
Yes, they have gone.

fast.
Gone, Ev' - ry one.
Ev' - ry one.
Ev' - ry one.

f *p*

rit. *fast.*
N. Life is lone-ly, sad and lone-ly, If you
M. Life is lone-ly, sad and lone-ly, If you
A. Life is lone-ly, sad and lone-ly, If you

f fast.

N. have not got a man; Life is lone-ly, then de - ny it if you can!
M. have not got a man; then de - ny if you can!
A. have not got a man; then de - ny if you can!

f

Allegretto moderato.

MASCHA.

Lone - ly wom-en watch are keep - ing,
Black eyed sol-dier on me beam - ing,

AURELIA.

Allegretto moderato.

Hearts are
White teeth

p

NADINA.

Just a year we have been wait - ing, much too
Ev' - ry girl has lost her lov - er, not a

sigh - ing, eyes are weep - ing,
through his mus-tache gleam - ing.

espr.

long I don't mind stat - ing.
man can we dis - cov - er.

MASCHA.

For a kiss I'm near - ly dy - ing,
How I long for Cu - pid's prat - tle,

AURELIA.

Oh, this
All our

Would there were some mis - chief brew - ing, But there's
Lone - li - ness is most ap - pall - ing, Would I

A. wait - ing is most try - ing.
men have gone to bat - tle.

cresc.

N. real - ly noth - ing do - ing; If we live, If we live too
heard my lov - er call - ing; If we live, If we live too

M. If we live, If we live too
If we live, If we live too

A. If we live too
If we live too

poco rit.

N. long a - lone, we shall be but skin and bone. ____
long a - lone, we shall be but skin and bone. ____

M. long a - lone, we shall be but skin and bone. ____
long a - lone, we shall be but skin and bone. ____

A. long a - lone, we shall be but skin and bone. ____
long a - lone, we shall be but skin and bone. ____

poco

N. Pit - y then our sor - ry plight, Bad! Bad! Bad! All our men are

M. Pit - y then our sor - ry plight, Bad! Bad! Bad! All our men are

A. Pit - y then our sor - ry plight, Bad! Bad! Bad! All our men are

N. out of sight. Sad! Sad! Sad!

M. out of sight. Sad! Sad! Sad! What can

A. out of sight. Sad! Sad! Sad! We must do the best we can.

N. We're un hap-py, Life is

M. we do min-us man? Cross and snap-py,

A. with-out man.

N. lone - ly, If you have - n't got a man.

M. sad and lone - ly, Life is

N. Sad and lone - ly,

M. lone - ly, Then de - ny it if you can.

A. Life is lone - ly, sad and lone - ly, If you

N. Life is lone - ly, now de - ny it if you can!

M. Now de - ny if you can!

A. have - n't got a man. Now de - ny if you can!

mf

f

19
Nº 1f Say Good Night.

Same tempo.

p

AURELIA.

Lis-ten, they are fight - ing!

L.H. *cresc.*

A. In this war I'm not de -

poco animato.

A. light - ing, Can-nons roar - ing, shots are pour - ing, Bul-lets

cresc.

A. *piu mosso.*

rat - tle; hear the bat - tle, All the neigh-bor-hood af - fright-ing. Bum!

piu mosso.

A. *quietly.*
Bum! Bum! Yes, all war is on the bum!

f *p*

Andantino.
NADINA.

Why don't you close the shut-ters? Pray, lock and bar them tight.

AURELIA.

My

pp

espr.

N. *(They close window and turn down lights.)*
 Shut up, and say "Good-night!"
 A. heart with ter-ror flut-ters.
 pp

NADINA. Shut up, and say "Good-

MASCHA. Shut up, and say "Good-

AURELIA. Shut up, and say "Good-

N. night!"

M. night!"

A. night!"

quietly.

espr.

poco rit.

pp

Nº 15 Melodrama.
(Nadina, Mascha, Aurelia.)

Andantino.

The first system of musical notation is for a piano accompaniment. It consists of a grand staff with a treble and bass clef. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The tempo marking 'Andantino.' is above the staff. The dynamics marking 'pp' (pianissimo) is in the first measure. The music features a flowing melody in the treble and a harmonic accompaniment in the bass, with various rests and slurs.

The second system of musical notation continues the piano accompaniment. It maintains the same key signature and time signature. The melody in the treble continues with slurs and rests, while the bass provides a steady accompaniment.

The third system of musical notation continues the piano accompaniment. The treble staff shows a melodic line with slurs, and the bass staff continues the accompaniment with various chordal textures.

The fourth system of musical notation features a vocal entry. The treble staff has a vocal line with the lyrics 'Nadina: Oh!' above it. The dynamics 'cresc.' (crescendo) are written below the treble staff. The bass staff continues the piano accompaniment.

The fifth system of musical notation features two vocal entries. The treble staff has two vocal lines with the lyrics 'Mascha: Oh!' and 'Aurelia: Oh!' above them. The dynamics 'dim.' (diminuendo) are written below the treble staff. The bass staff continues the piano accompaniment. The system ends with a double bar line and a 2/4 time signature change.

Rubato.

NADINA.

quickly.

He is not here!

Gone! Gone! Yes! Gone!

MASCHA.

He is not here!

Gone! Yes! Gone!

AURELIA.

He is not here!

Gone, Yes! Gone!

Rubato.

*f**p*

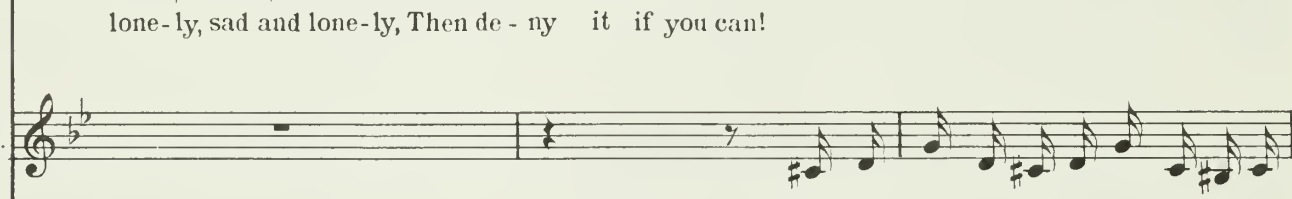
N. Life is lone-ly, sad and lone-ly, if you have-nt got a man;

M. Life is

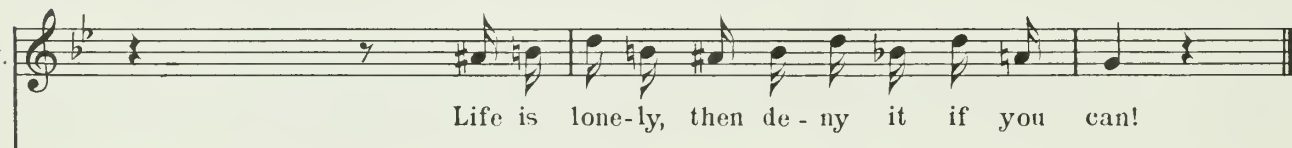
A.

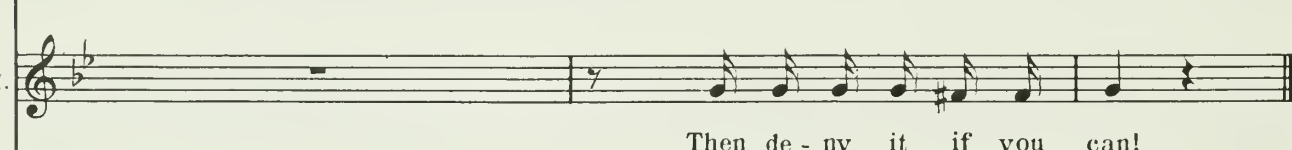
N. 

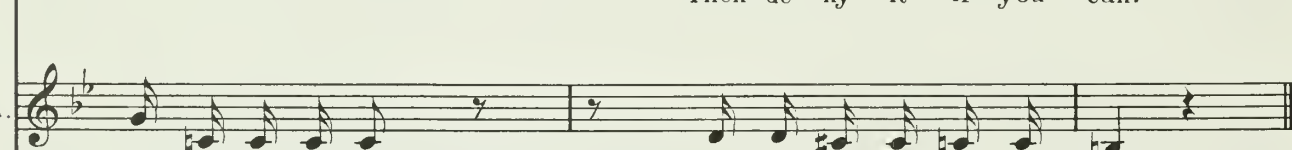
M. 
lone-ly, sad and lone-ly, Then de - ny it if you can!

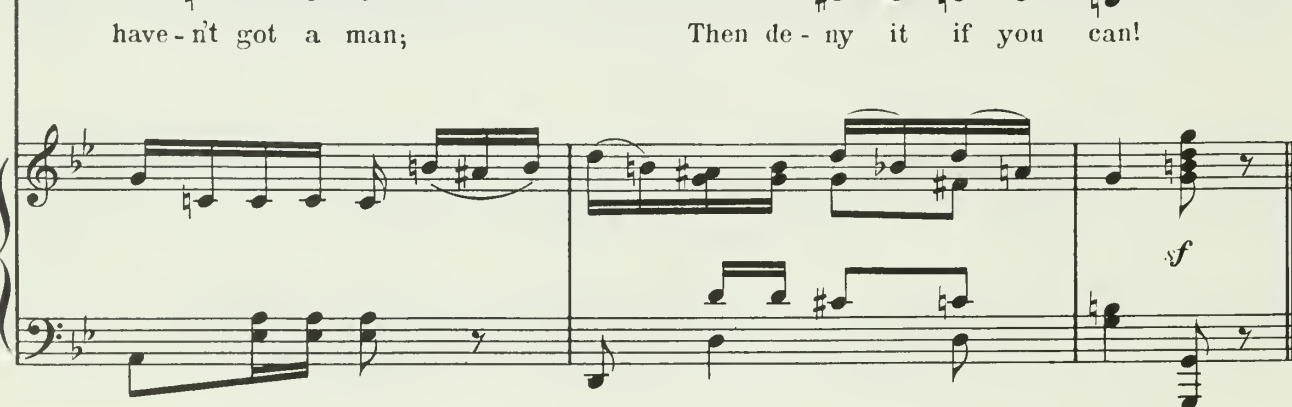
A. 
Life is lone - ly, sad and lone-ly, if you


mf

N. 
Life is lone-ly, then de - ny it if you can!

M. 
Then de - ny it if you can!

A. 
have - n't got a man; Then de - ny it if you can!


sf

No 2

The Chocolate Soldier

My Hero

Aria and Waltz Song
(Nadina)

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Adagio

Recit

How handsome is this

he - ro mine, The tears with-in my eyes are

burning; How true and brave that face di - vine, my heart for him is ev-er yearning. That

Andante

fore-head so high, the chin firm and strong, The eagle like eye, For him how I long. How

mf *p* *mf* *p*

grace-ful his car - riage, How no - ble and free; — The

cresc.

day of our mar - riage, hap - - py be. —

mf *f marcato* *ff*

Andante con moto

I have a true and no - ble lov - er,

p

He is my sweet-heart, all my own! His like on earth who shall discover?

cresc.

His heart is mine and mine a-lone. We pledged our troth, each to the oth-er,

rall. *a tempo*

And for our hap-py-ness I pray; Our lives be long to one an-oth-er,

cresc.

rit.

Oh hap-py, hap-py wed-ding day, Oh, hap-py, hap-py wed-ding day!

rit.

Slow Waltz Tempo.

Come! come! I love you on - ly, My heart is true, —

Sostenuto
mp

Come! come! my life is lone - ly, I long for you; —

p cresc.

stringendo *f* *pp a tempo*

Come! come! naught can ef - face you, My arms are ach - ing now to em - brace you,

mf cresc. *f* *pp a tempo*

allargando

Thou art di - vine! — Come! come! I love you on - ly,

cresc. allargando *f* *ff*

Come, he - ro mine!

Andante con moto.

It is my du - ty to bow be - fore thee, It is my du - ty to love, a - dore thee!

poco rit.

It is my du - ty to love thee ev - er, To love thee for - ev - er, for - ev - er. We

Tempo I.

pledged our troth each to the oth - er, And for our hap - py - ness I pray; Our

rit.

lives be - long to one an - oth - er, Oh, hap - py, hap - py

cresc.

rit.

wed - ding day, Oh, hap - py, hap - py wed - ding day!

Slow Waltz Tempo.

Come! come! I love you on - ly, my heart is true, —

pp

Come! come! my life is lone - ly I long for you; —

p cresc.

stringendo

Come! come! naught can ef - face you, My arms are ach - ing

stringendo

mf cresc. *pp*

allargando

now to em - brace you, Thou art di - vine! —

cresc. allargando

Come! come! I love you on - ly come, he - ro

f

mine! —

f a tempo *sf*

No 3

The Chocolate Soldier

Sympathy

Duet

(Nadina and Bumerli)

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Andante

BUMERLI

It is a

f *p* *dolce*

B

bur-den hard to car-ry, The bur-den of a maid-en's hate; — The on-ly

cresc.

B

girl I care to mar-ry, She turns me out at night so late. — She bids me

B
go where shots are fly-ing, Fare-well to her I fond-ly love, ——— Fare-well, for

cresc.

NADINA
poco animato
I see you

B
her I'll soon be dy-ing, When next we meet 'twill be a - bove. ———

f

N
shak - ing, with fear quak-ing, In hea-ven you would not be

p *pp*

N
wak-ing; No-ble sol-dier tell me true, — Oh do, — please do! —

rall. *rit.* *dim.* *p dolce*

BUMERLI

Andante

My life is sweet, I hold it dear; All death is grue-some,

dark and drear! I love be-yond all meas-ure, My life there-fore I treas-ure. I

love to live and live to love, So do not care to go a-bove; But

death would have no fears for me, If I pos-sess'd your sym-path - y.

Allegro agitato

NADINA

It can-not be! I am not free, It is my du - ty

f *cresc.*

N To bid you go, Fare - well! fare-well! go now, I pray! — BUMERLI

Fare -

B well! fare-well! fare-well for aye! — I ver - y soon shall die, This

p cresc.

NADINA

B Fare -

is in-deed good-bye, Out - side they wait; Chill death my fate.

f

N
well! fare-well! go now, I pray!— Fare - well! fare-well! fare-well for

N
aye!— *Sloα* BUMERLI *agitato* No stop!
Fare - well! fare-well! fare-well for aye!

N
For me!

R
What for?— For thee?

NADINA
For me!

BUMERLI *Sloα*
My

NADINA

Oh, no! please no!

thanks, dear la - dy kind. I

p *dim.*

Tempo I

was sure you had a no-ble mind, A gra-cious no - ble mind. It is a

dolce

NADINA

Remember

bur-den sweet to car - ry, The bur-den of a maid - en's heart.

cresc.

rit.

I'm en-gaged to mar - ry, I save your life but we must part. My

rit.

N

life is sweet, I hold it dear; All death is grue-some, dark and drear. I

espr.

N

love be-yond all meas-ure, My life there-fore I treas-ure. I

N

love to live, and live to love, So do not care to go a-bove, Tho'

cresc.

N

p rit. we must part and you leave me, For you I feel some sym - pa - thy. — *poco* My BUMERLI My

mf *p* *mf*

animato

N life is sweet, I hold it dear; All death is grue-some, dark and drear. I love be-yond all

B life is sweet, I hold it dear; All death is grue-some, dark and drear. I love be-yond all

N meas-ure, My life there-fore I treas-ure. I love to live and live to love, So

B meas-ure, My life there-fore I treas-ure. I love to live and live to love, So

rit.

N do not care to go a-bove. Though we must part and you leave me, For you I

B do not care to go a-bove. But death now has no fears for me, Since I pos-

N feel some sym - pa - thy.

B sess your sym - pa - thy.

No 4

"Seek the Spy"

Ensemble

(Nadina, Mascha, Aurelia, Bumerli, Massakroff, & Soldiers)

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Tempo di Marcia

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It begins with a piano introduction in 2/4 time, marked 'Tempo di Marcia'. The piano part features a rhythmic melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand, with dynamics ranging from *p* to *cresc.*

The vocal section begins with the Male Chorus (MALE CHORUS) and solo voices (MASSAKROFF, TENOR, BASS). The lyrics are: "Search-ing, search-ing, search-ing for the spy, ah! This". The solo voices enter with a strong *f* dynamic.

The piano accompaniment continues with a rhythmic pattern, leading into the final vocal entry. The lyrics are: "Ser - vi - an, He shall sure - ly die! A spy in here is hid - den, By". The piano part concludes with a final chord.

Mf. law that is for bid - den! Seek him, seek him, ev - 'ry - where!

law that is for bid - den!

Mf. Yes, bar - ba-rians, yes, bar - ba-rians When they

Seek him, seek him ev - 'ry - where! Yes, bar - ba-rians,

mp *f*

Mf. fight are all Bul - ga - rians,

all Bul - ga - rians, Proved in man - y, man - y bat-tles that our

f *mf*

Mf.

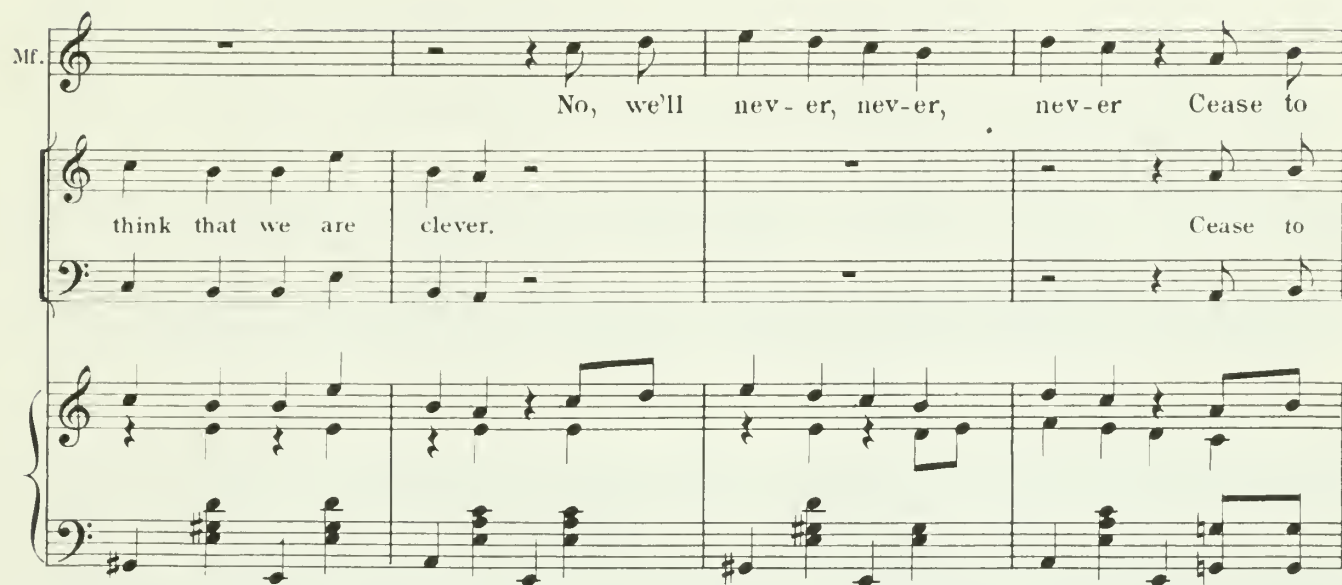
Yes, for - ev - er, ev - er, ev - er, We will
 cour - age no - thing rat - tles. We will

Mf.

win with-out en - deavor; And we'll nev-er, nev - er, nev - er Cease to
 win with-out en - deav-or; And we'll ne - er, ne - er, ne - er Cease to

Mf.

think that we are clev - er.
 think that we are clev - er. No we'll nev-er, nev-er, nev-er Cease to

Mf. 

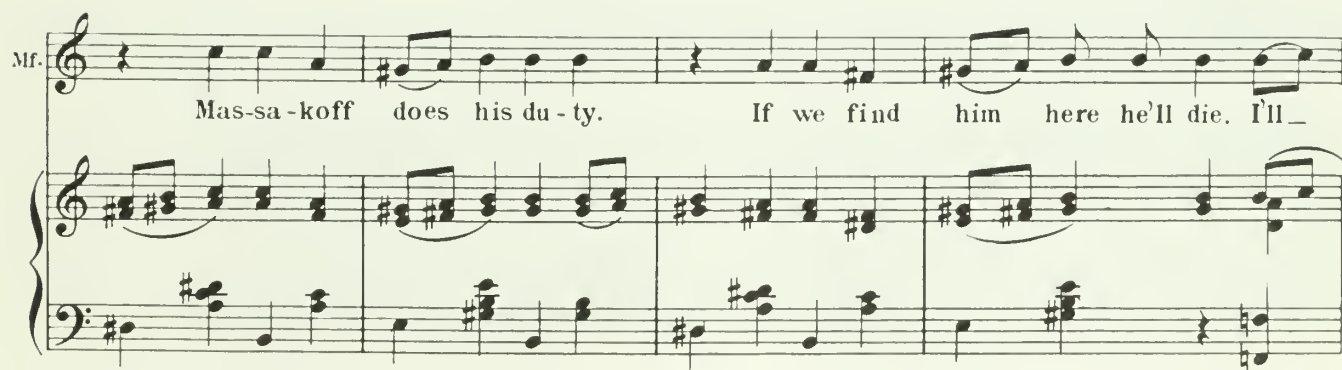
No, we'll nev-er, nev-er, nev-er Cease to

think that we are clever, Cease to

Mf. 

think that we are clev-er. Ver-y sor-ry to dis-turb fair beau-ty,

think that we are clev-er.

Mf. 

Mas-sa-koff does his du-ty. If we find him here he'll die. I'll_

NADINA

N. For whom, pray, search you here?

Mf. mas - sa - cre the spy! Ha!

N. Who? He is not

Mf. For a man we search, that is clear. A foe!

N. here, go search be - low! I

Mf. p

Maestoso (♩.=♩.)

N. am your greatest he-ro's bride — If you doubt me then woe be - tide. — Had any

Poco animato

N. foe sought re-fuge here, It would have cost him ver-y dear! MASSAKROFF

Mf. Here hides the

N. I tell you, no! and what I say is so! I

Mf. foe!

cresc.

Maestoso

N. am your great-est he-ro's bride! If you doubt me then woe be-

Mf.

mf.

rit.

Tempo I

MASSAKROFF

N. tide! I can - not go, miss; un - til I

Mf.

f

p

know, miss, He is not here; If we find
 him he shall die. I'll mas - sa - cre the spy! Ha! Yes, bar-
 barians, Yes, bar - ba - rians, When they fight are all Bul - ga - rians!
 Yes, bar - ba - rians, When they fight are all Bul - ga - rians! Proved in
 man - y, man - y bat - tles, and our cour - age no - thing rat - tles!
 Proved in

Seek the Spy. 18.

Mf. *man - y, man - y bat-tles, That our Cour-age no - thing rat-tles!*

That our Cour-age no - thing rat-tles!

Mf. (spoken.) "Fall out!" "Fall in!"

One! Two!

f dim. p cresc.

Mf. Search! Search!

Three! Four! Five! Six! Seven! Eight!

cresc.

Seek the Spy. 18.

Mf. *Search! search until you*

Nine! Ten! 'leven! Twelve!

f

Ma. find him. MASCHA I think

A. AURELIA

B. BUMERLI What was that in heav-en's name?

Slap his face! Slap his face!

mf *p*

Ma. I un-derstand her game.

A. A re - vol-ver! a re - vol-ver! He is

B.

f

MASCHA

Ma. If he's found they won't ab - solve her! A re -
 A. here! the spy's re - vol - ver! If he's found they won't ab - solve her! A re -

mf *f*

Ma. vol - ver! His re - vol - ver!
 A. vol - ver! His re - vol - ver! MASSAKROFF
 Mf. Where is the spy? Has he been found? I'm sure he's

p

Mf. some - where here a - round! *quasi parlando* One! two! three! four!

cresc.

Mf. TENORS 4 SOLDIERS Five! six! sev - en! eight!
 Cho. He's not hid - den on this floor! He

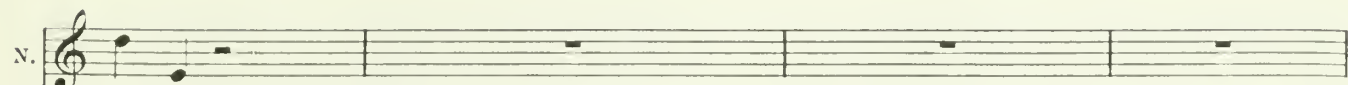
cresc.

Mf. *Nine! ten! e - lev-en! twelve!*
is not here, we came too late!
cresc.

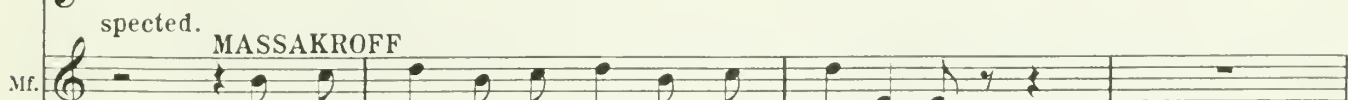
N. *You're safe, my dear!*
 Mf. *BASSES & SOLDIERS* *Ha! The bed, he's un-der that!*
No one here!
f marcato

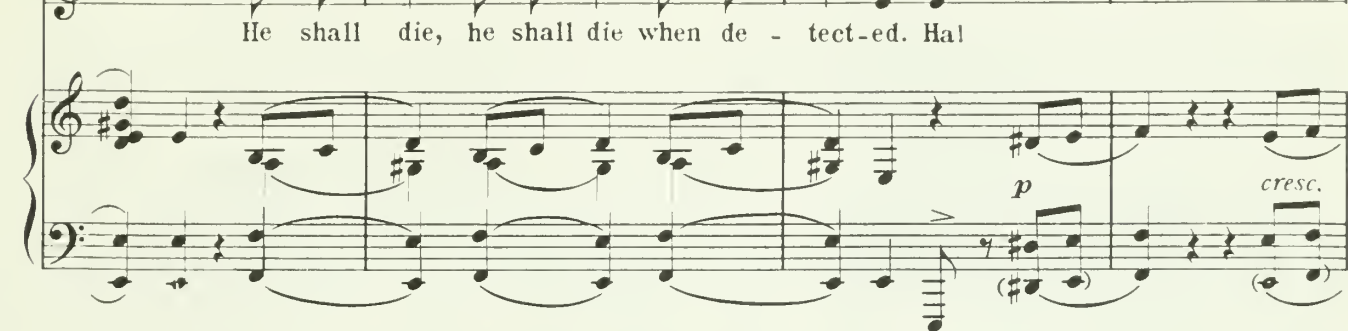
A. *AURELIA*
Don't look there, you are much too fat!
mf

N. *NADINA*
The bal-con-y you have ne - glect-ed, It should be at once in -
mf cresc.

N. 

spected. **MASSAKROFF**

Mf. 
He shall die, he shall die when de - tect-ed. Ha!



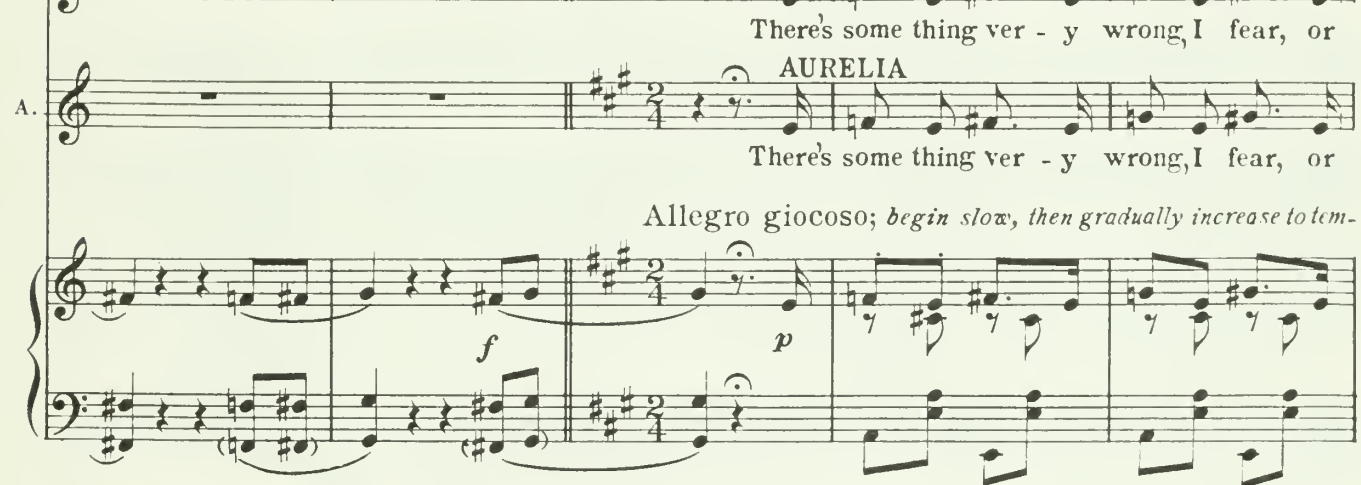
Allegro giocoso; begin slow, then gradually increase to tem-

Ma. 
MASCHA

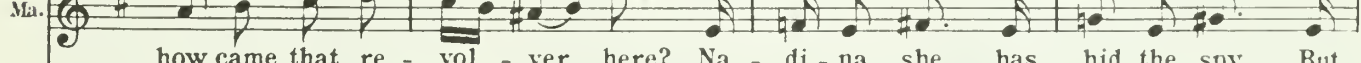
A. 
AURELIA

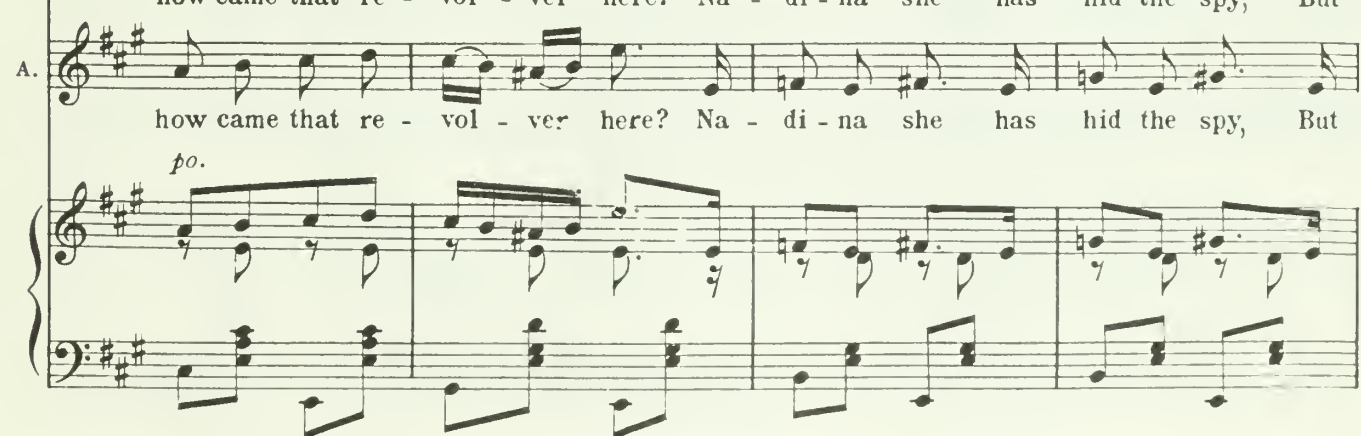
There's some thing ver - y wrong, I fear, or

Allegro giocoso; begin slow, then gradually increase to tem-



Ma. 
po. how came that re - vol - ver here? Na - di - na she has hid the spy, But

A. 
po. how came that re - vol - ver here? Na - di - na she has hid the spy, But



NADINA
N. Be care-ful, I will fool them yet.

Ma. they'll not find him, she's too sly.

A. B. they'll not find him, she's too sly. BUMERLI Your

MASCHA *a tempo*
Ma. If they that weap-on here should find,

AURELIA *a tempo*
A. If they that weap-on here should find,

Mf. kind-ness you shall not re-gret.

rit. *a tempo*

Ma. The spy would leave this world be-hind. Yes,

A. The spy would leave this world be-hind. Yes,

Ma quick-ly leave this world be - hind.

N. quick-ly leave this world be - hind.

Mf. MASSAKROFF
He must have van-ished in the air.

NADINA
Then wings I had bet-ter be buy-ing, And mas-sa - cre him

N. fly-ing, Ha! MASSAKROFF.

Mf. *rit.*
Pray par-don my in - tru-sion, I hope you'll be so kind; Tho'

Mf. cov-ered with con - fu - sion, The spy we'll sure-ly find.

Mf. *CHORUS.*

Yes, bar-ba rians, Yes, bar - ba - rians - When they fight are all Bul -

TENOR

BASS

mp *f*

Mf. *morendo*

ga-rians, Proved in man - y, man - y bat - tles, That our cour - age no - thing rat - tles, Proved in

ga-rians, Proved in man - y, man - y bat - tles, That our cour - age no - thing rat - tles, Proved in

Ma. MASCHA

A. AURELIA

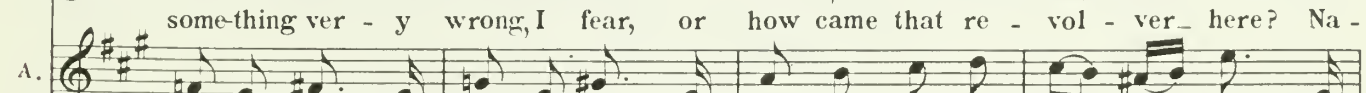
Mf. There's

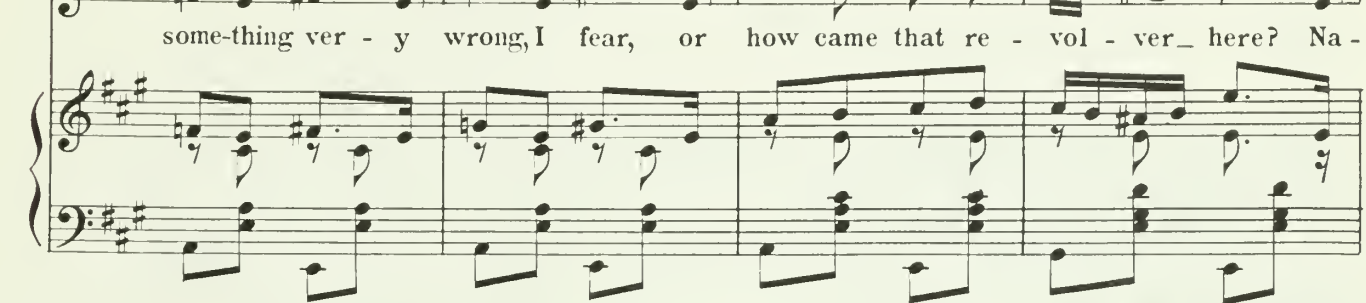
man - y, many bat - tles, That our cour - age no - thing rat - tles.

man - y, many bat - tles, That our cour - age no - thing rat - tles.

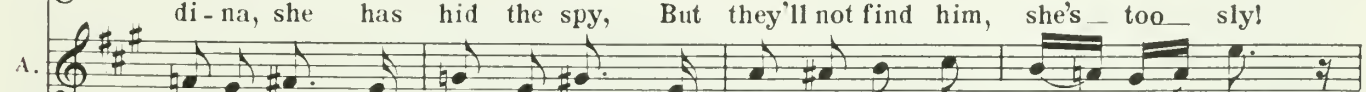
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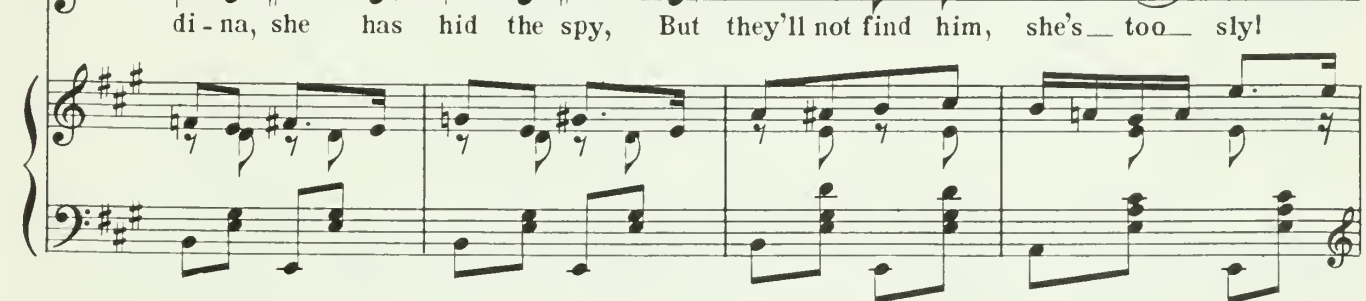
Ma.  some-thing ver - y wrong, I fear, or how came that re - vol - ver_ here? Na -

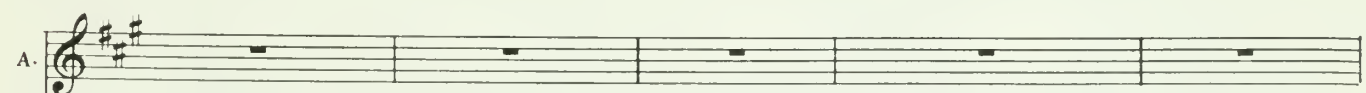
A.  some-thing ver - y wrong, I fear, or how came that re - vol - ver_ here? Na -



Ma.  di - na, she has hid the spy, But they'll not find him, she's_ too_ sly!

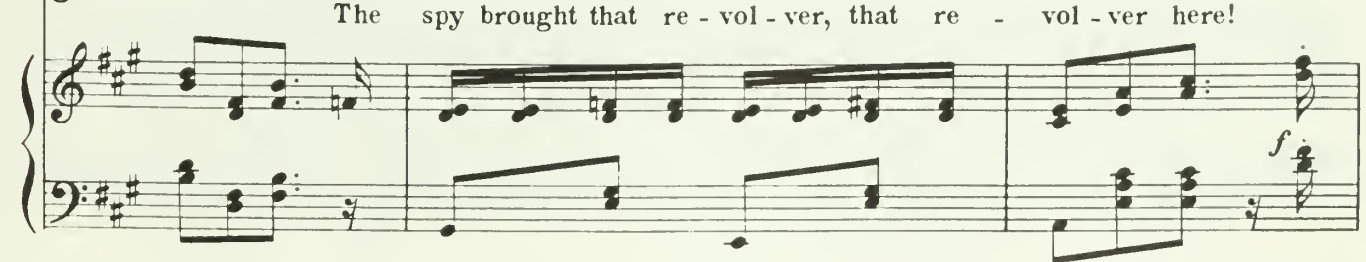
A.  di - na, she has hid the spy, But they'll not find him, she's_ too_ sly!



A. 

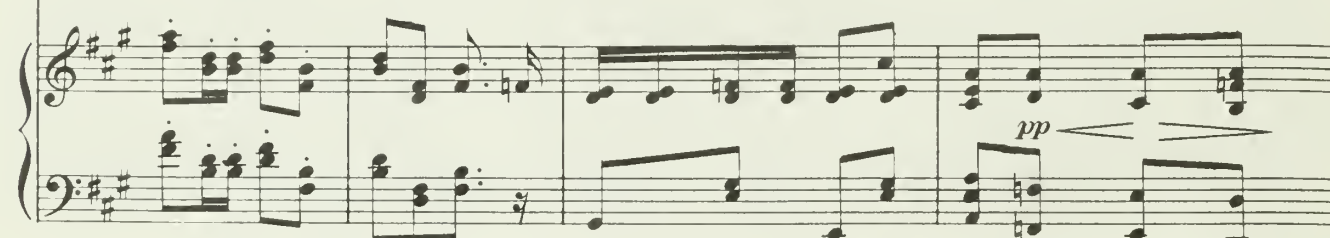


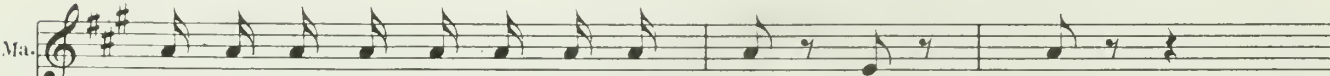
A.  The spy brought that re - vol - ver, that re - vol - ver here!

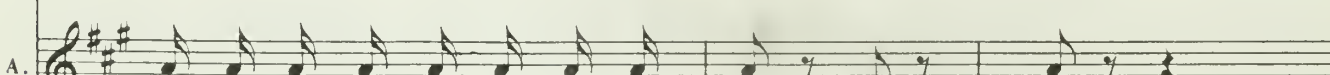


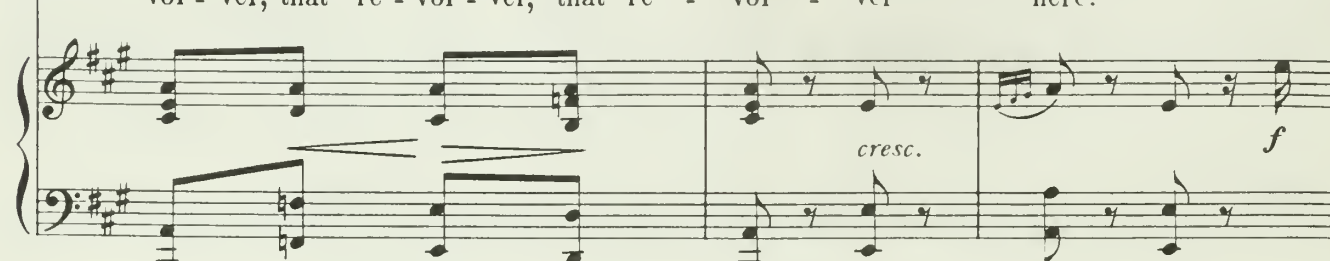
Ma. 
The spy brought that re-vol-ver here! That re-vol-ver, that re -

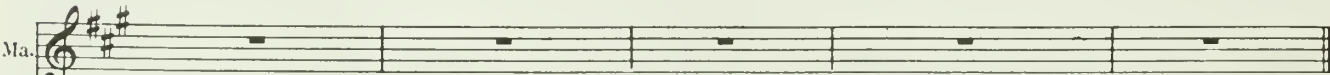
A. 
That re-vol-ver, that re -



Ma. 
vol - ver, that re - vol - ver, that re - vol - ver here!

A. 
vol - ver, that re - vol - ver, that re - vol - ver here!



Ma. 
A. 



No 5

Finale Act I

Romance and Scene

(Nadina, Mascha, Aurelia)

Slow, dreamy



NADINA
Three
MASCHA
Three
AURELIA
Three

Three vocal staves for Nadina, Mascha, and Aurelia. Each staff has a "Three" marking above it. The music is in 6/8 time and features a melodic line in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand.

N.
M.
A.

wom - en sigh - ing a - lone, one night, were sad - ly wait - ing the mor - row; When

wom - en sigh - ing a - lone, one night, were sad - ly wait - ing the mor - row; When

wom - en sigh - ing a - lone, one night, were sad - ly wait - ing the mor - row; When

espr. poco

Three vocal staves for Nadina (N.), Mascha (M.), and Aurelia (A.) with lyrics. The lyrics are: "wom - en sigh - ing a - lone, one night, were sad - ly wait - ing the mor - row; When". The music is in 6/8 time and features a melodic line in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand. The piano accompaniment is marked "espr. poco".

N came a man, to their de-light, who ban-ished all their sor-row. He was a sol-dier

M came a man, to their de-light, who ban-ished all their sor-row.

poco cresc.

N young and strong, a - las! he slept the whole night long, and left them in the

N *dim.* morn - ing, He left them in the morn - ing. Oh dear!

M He left them in the morn - ing. Oh dear! One

A He left them in the morn - ing. Oh dear!

dim. *pp dolce*

MASCHA

wom - an said "he's left us, How lone-ly now we'll be. — Of

hap - pi-ness be - rept us, He had my sym - pa - thy, — Ti-ra-la-

la, Ti-ra-la-la, he left us. But still he's not to

blame, — Ti-ra-la - la, I real-ly can - not blame him, Ti-ra-la-

p rit.

cresc.

la! I'm ver-y glad he came?" AURELIA

The sec - ond said "I'm

sor - ry that he has gone a - way, If

he should tell I'd wor - ry, I hope he'll noth - ing

say. Ti-ra-la - la. Ti-ra-la-la! Tell no one, For men sus-

p

cresc.

R.H. *L.H.*

pi - cious are, — Ti-ra-la - la, par-tic-u-lar - ly

cresc.

NADINA

The

hus - bands! Ti-ra-la - la! Yes, too sus-pi - cious far."

p

Somewhat quiet

third one gen - tly smil - ing, — She did not care at

all; — She knew the youth be - guil - ing,

cresc.

N *rit.*
The youth be - guil - ing, would come back at her

N *a tempo*
call. _____ Ti-ra-la - la! Ti-ra-la-la! Would come back, Would answer

N
to her call. _____ Ti-ra-la - la! She was sure he would

N *rit.*
come back, Ti-ra-la - la, So did not care at all. _____ Three

M _____ Three

A _____ Three

Tempo I.

N
wom - en sigh - ing a - lone, one night, were sad - ly watch - ing the

M
wom - en sigh - ing a - lone, one night, were sad - ly watch - ing the

A
wom - en sigh - ing a - lone, one night, were sad - ly watch - ing the

N
mor - row; When came a man, to their de - light, who

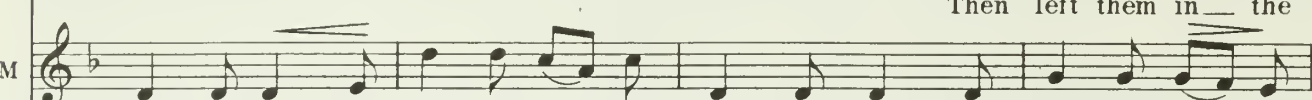
M
mor - row; When came a man, to their de - light, who

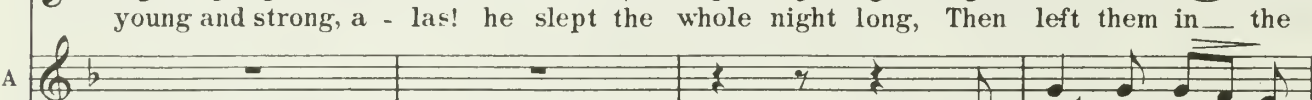
A
mor - row;

N
ban - ished all their sor - row.

M
ban - ished all their sor - row. He was a sol - dier

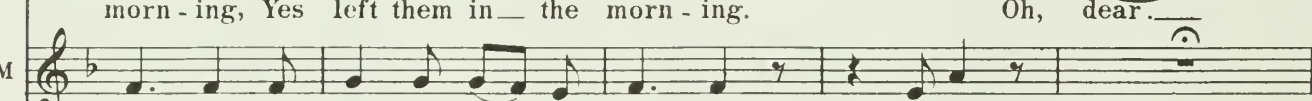
N  Then left them in— the

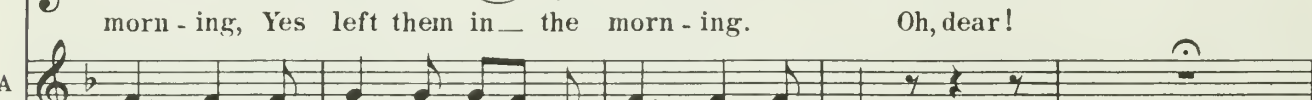
M  young and strong, a - las! he slept the whole night long, Then left them in— the

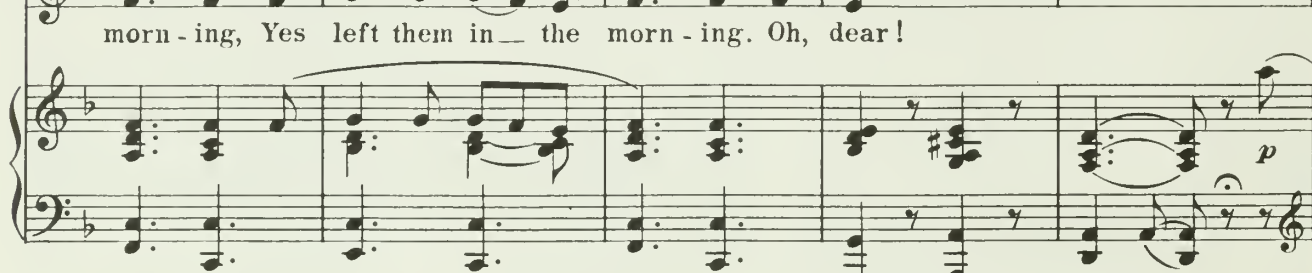
A  Then left them in— the

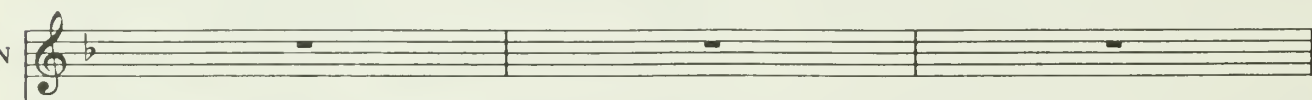


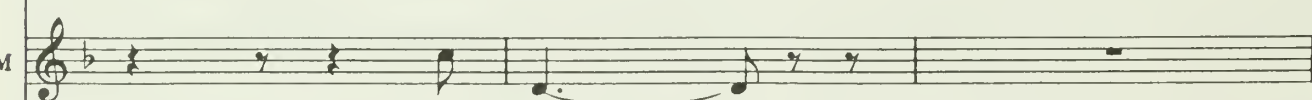
N  morn - ing, Yes left them in— the morn - ing. Oh, dear.

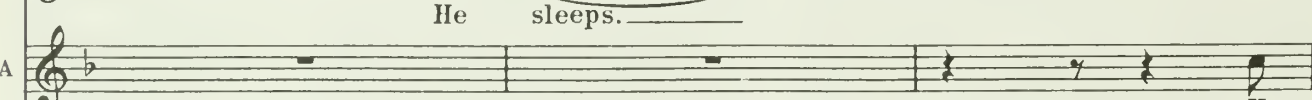
M  morn - ing, Yes left them in— the morn - ing. Oh, dear!

A  morn - ing, Yes left them in— the morn - ing. Oh, dear!



N 

M  He sleeps.

A  He



N *pp* *Gradually quieter*
In peace - ful, rest - ful slum - ber; For-get-ting

A sleeps. *Gradually quieter*

N *pp*
all his woe and pain, — You, too, must rest, you both are wear - y, go sleep and

pp cresc.

N I will here re - main. — Oh, dear! —

M Oh, dear!

A Oh, dear! *pp* Ti - ra - la -

Grazioso

A

la! Ti-ra-la-la! Tell no one! All men sus - pi - cious

are, Par - tic - u - lar - ly hus - bands! Yes, too sus -

MASCHA *pp*

Ti-ra-la - la, Ti-ra-la-la! He'll
pi - cious far.

pp

leave us, But still he's not to blame, ——— Ti-ra-la-
cresc.

la! I real-ly can - not blame him, Ti-ra-la - la, I'm ver-y glad he
rit.

came. ———
p *espr.* *pp*

cresc

NADINA

Ti-ra-la - la! Ti-ra-la-la, Ti-ra-la - la - la!

rit.
The third one gent - ly smil - ing - Ti-ra-la-

Slower pp
la! She did not care at all. *Curtain*

No 6

The Chocolate Soldier

ACT II

Our Heroes Come

English Words by
STANISLAUS STANGE

March and Chorus

Music by
OSCAR STRAUSMarch tempo. (*Lively*)

The musical score is written for piano and consists of five systems of music. Each system has a grand staff with a treble and bass clef. The key signature is two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 2/4. The first system begins with a piano (*pp*) dynamic marking. The second system includes a crescendo (*cresc.*) marking. The third system includes a piano (*p*) dynamic marking. The fourth system includes a 'gradually louder' (*gradually louder*) instruction. The score features various musical notations including eighth and sixteenth notes, rests, and dynamic markings.

CURTAIN

A musical score for a piano piece titled "CURTAIN". The score is written for a grand piano, with a treble and bass staff. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats). The piece consists of six systems of music. The first system includes a "cresc." (crescendo) marking. The second system includes a "mf" (mezzo-forte) marking. The third system includes a "cresc." (crescendo) marking. The fourth system includes a "f" (forte) marking. The fifth system includes a "mp" (mezzo-piano) marking. The piece concludes with a final chord in the sixth system.

L'istesso tempo. (*brightly*)



The musical score on page 72 consists of six systems of piano accompaniment. Each system is written for a grand piano with a treble and bass staff. The key signature is B-flat major, indicated by two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The notation includes a variety of musical elements: chords, arpeggios, and melodic lines. Dynamics such as *ff* (fortissimo) are used to indicate volume. The piece concludes with a double bar line and repeat signs.

Our heroes come. 6.

The Fatherland is Free

No 6b

SOP.
ALTO.
TEN.
BASS.

Then shout hur - rah! then
Hur - rah! then

shout hur - rah! For our he-ros shout in glee; Our en-e - mies are con - quered And the
shout hur - rah! For our he-ros shout in glee; Our en-e - mies are con - quered And the

Fa-ther-land is free! Then shout hur - rah! then shout hur - rah! Let us sound their prais-es
Fa-ther-land is free! Hur - rah! then shout hur - rah! Let us sound their prais-es

Our heroes come, 6.

loud! Our sol - diers are vic - tor - i - ous And of them we are

loud! Our sol - diers are vic - tor - i - ous And of them we are

proud! Hur-rah! hur - rah! Our land you save! Hur-rah! hur - rah! Our flag shall

proud! Hur-rah! hur - rah! Our land you save! Hur-rah! hur - rah! Our flag shall

wave. Hur - rah! hur - rah! Our he-ros brave!

wave. Hur - rah! hur - rah! Our he-ros brave!

piu ff

No 7

Alexius The Heroic

Sextette and Chorus

(Nadina, Masha, Aurelia, Alexius, Popoff, Massakroff)

English Words by
STANISLAUS STANGEMusic by
OSCAR STRAUS

Allegro moderato

f *rit.*

The piano introduction is in 6/8 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It begins with a strong *f* (forte) dynamic. The melody in the right hand features eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a steady bass line. The piece concludes with a *rit.* (ritardando) marking.

ALEXIUS
a tempo

No en - e - my lives when Al - ex - ius is nigh, In

mf *a tempo*

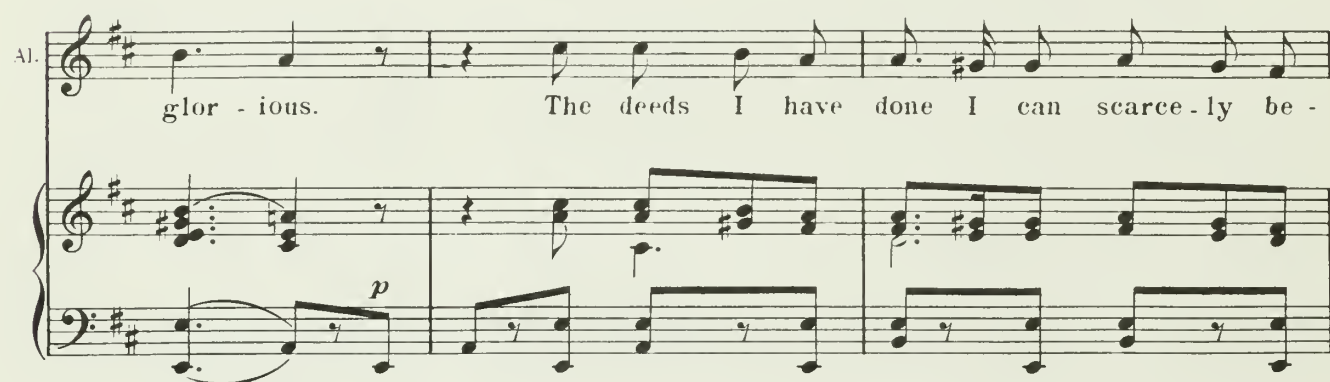
Alexius enters with a vocal line in 6/8 time. The piano accompaniment is marked *mf* (mezzo-forte) and *a tempo*. The lyrics are: "No en - e - my lives when Al - ex - ius is nigh, In".

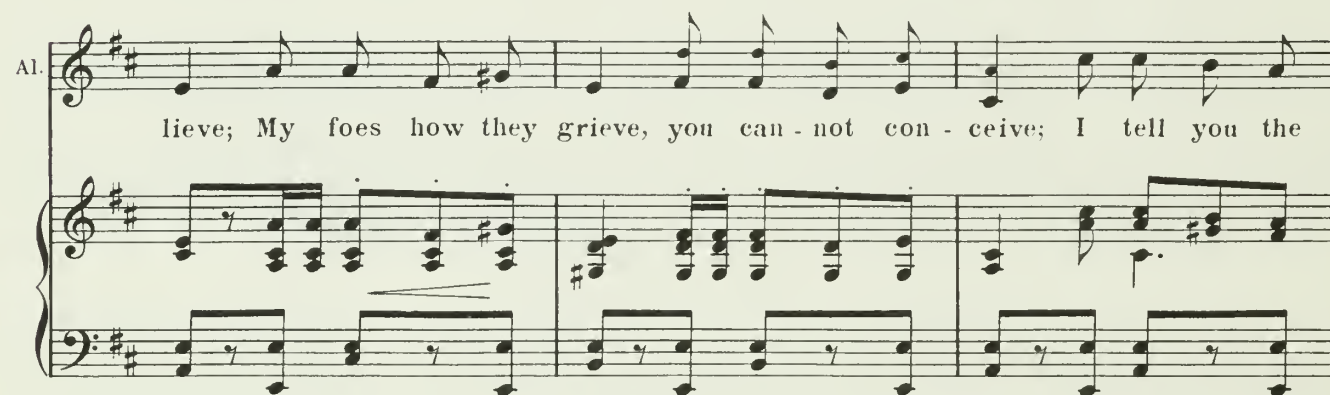
Al.

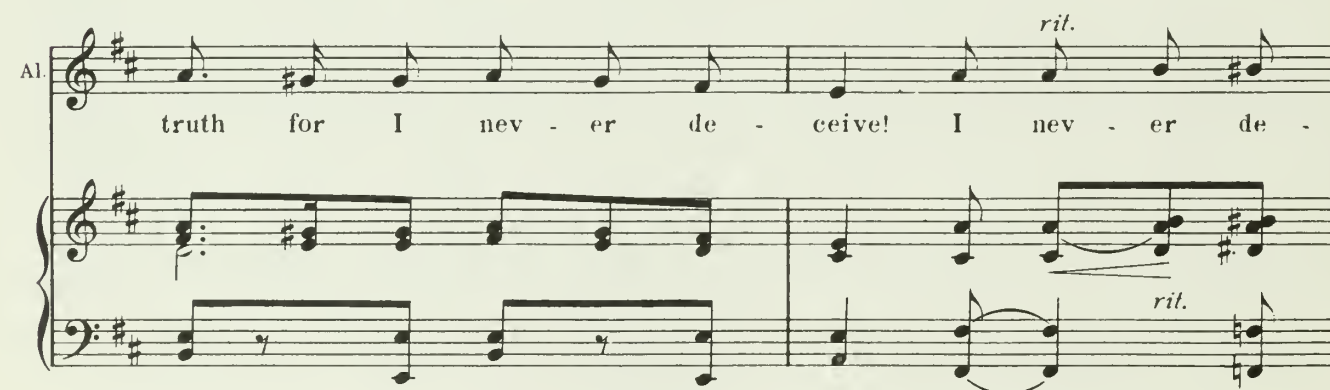
bat - tle I'm al - ways vic - tor - ious; No he - ro of old more cour -

The chorus enters with a vocal line in 6/8 time. The piano accompaniment continues with the same harmonic structure. The lyrics are: "bat - tle I'm al - ways vic - tor - ious; No he - ro of old more cour -".

Al.  age - ous than I, Not one ev - er lived half so

Al.  glor - ous. The deeds I have done I can scarce - ly be -

Al.  lieve; My foes how they grieve, you can - not con - ceive; I tell you the

Al.  truth for I nev - er de - ceive! I nev - er de -

a tempo MADINA
Our en - e - mies all you have put to the

Al. ceive. Nev - er de - ceive!

MASSAKROFF
Nev - er de - ceive!

POPOFF
Nev - er de - ceive!

MALE CHORUS
TENORS
Nev - er de - ceive!

BASSES
Nev - er de - ceive!

a tempo mp

N. rout! Of that there's no doubt! Of that there's no doubt!

MASCHA
Of that there's no doubt! Your prais - es great

AURELIA
Of that there's no doubt! Your prais - es great

FEMALE CHORUS
SOP.
ALT.
Of that there's no doubt!

p *cresc.*

rit. *a tem.*

N. Of that there's no doubt! Of that there's no doubt!

M. he - roes, full loud - ly you shout. Of that there's no doubt!

An. he - roes, full loud - ly you shout. Of that there's no doubt! POPOFF

Chorus FEMALE CHORUS A

Of that there's no doubt! *a tem.* *mf*

rit.

P. he - ro must go with - out sleep, with - out rest. I al - ways was first in the

AURELIA

ALEXIUS You thought of me

That's true! cer - tain - ly! for I forced you to.

P. fight - ing.

p

Au. on - ly when you were a - way? Tell the truth, I

Au. pray. POPOFF I hope this is true, for I trust - ed in
P. By night and by day!

NADINA *rit.*
She hopes this is true, for she trust - ed in you. —
MASCHA
She hopes this is true, for she trust - ed in you. —
Au. you. I hope this is true, for I trust - ed in you. — ALEXIUS

FEMALE CHORUS When
She hopes this is true, for she trust - ed in you. —

a tempo

Al. they saw me charg - ing they all of them hid, Sir, I

a tempo

Al. cut them to pie - ces, by Hea - ven! I did, Sir! POPOFF

You did! as - sur - ed - ly, you

Allegretto marciale

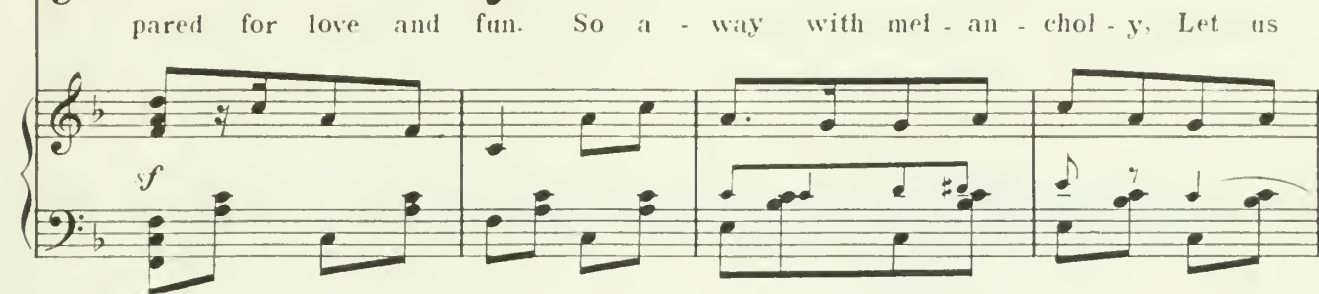
P. did! Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, Now we

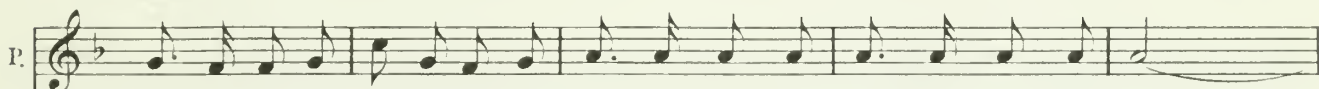
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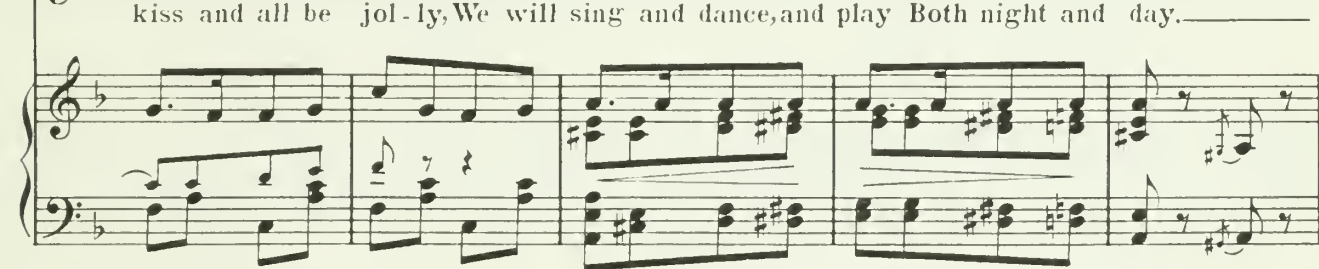
P. he - roes are in clo - ver; all the fight - ing fin - ish'd done, We're pre -

sf

P. 
 pared for love and fun. So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us

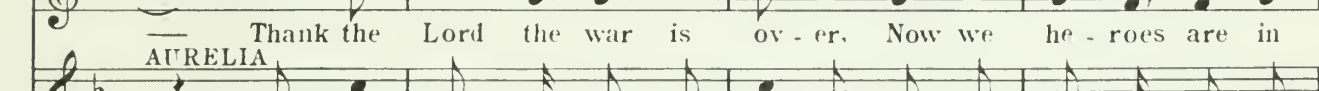

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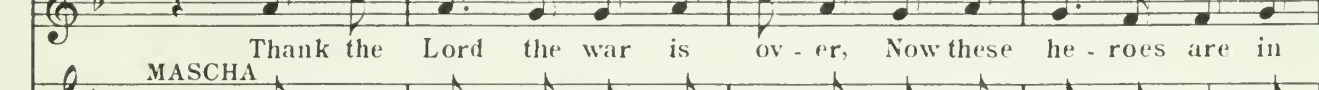
P. 
 kiss and all be jol - ly, We will sing and dance, and play Both night and day. ———

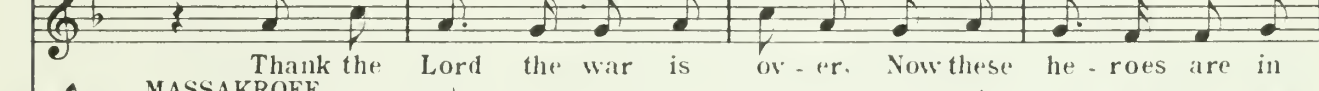


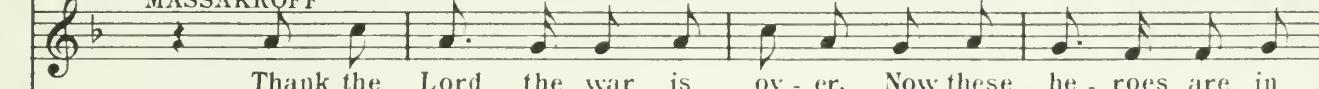
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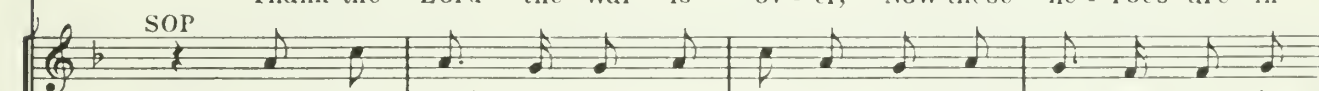
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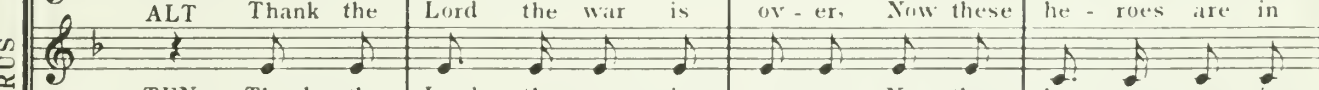
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 Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, Now these he - roes are in

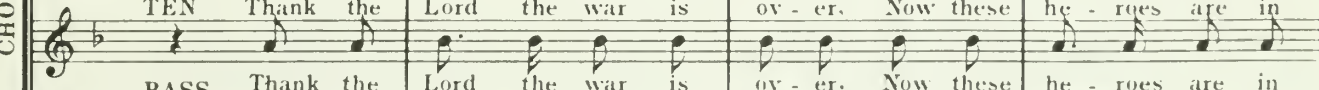
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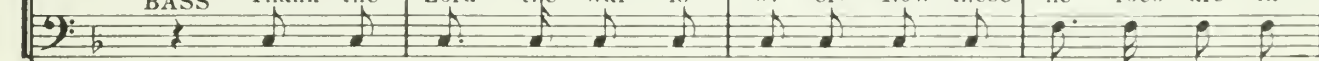
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 Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, Now these he - roes are in

SOP 
 Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, Now these he - roes are in

ALT 
 Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, Now these he - roes are in

TEN 
 Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, Now these he - roes are in

BASS 
 Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, Now these he - roes are in

CHORUS 

Allegro
ff



P. clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd done; We're pre - pared for love and

Au. clo - ver, All the fight - ing fin - ish'd done, We're pre - pared for love and

M. clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd done, We're pre - pared for love and

Ma. clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd done, We're pre - pared for love and

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sf *sf*

P. fun. So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

Au. fun. So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

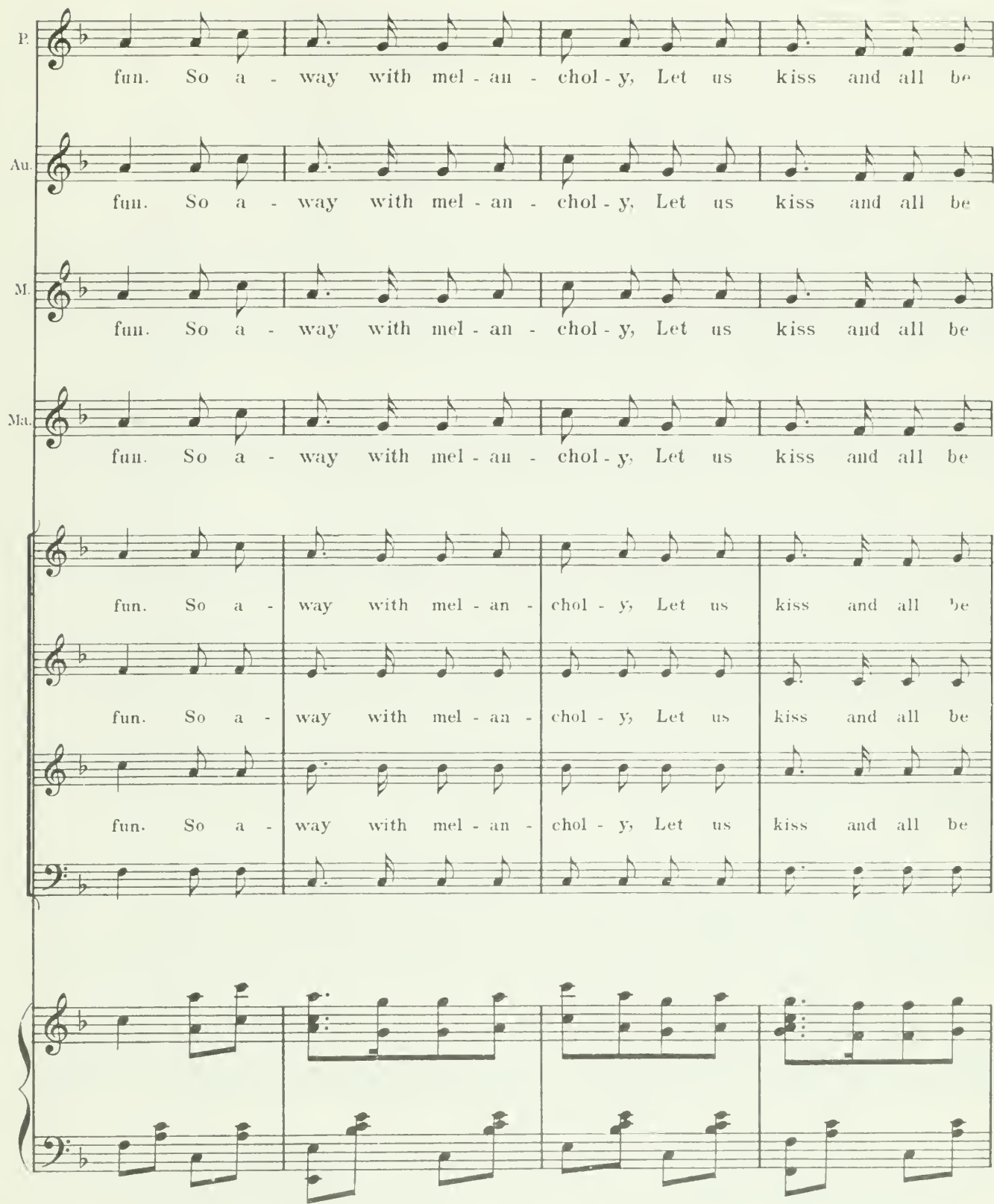
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fun. So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

fun. So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

fun. So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be



P.
jol - ly; We will sing and dance and play both night and day.

Au.
jol - ly; We will sing and dance and play both night and day.

M.
jol - ly; We will sing and dance and play both night and day.

Ma.
jol - ly; We will sing and dance and play both night and day.

jol - ly; We will sing and dance and play both night and day.

jol - ly; We will sing and dance and play both night and day.

jol - ly; We will sing and dance and play boh night and day.

ff

NADINA *Brighter*
We both a - dore he - ro - ic — deeds, 'Tis lit - tle

ALEXIUS
We both a - dore he - ro - ic — deeds, 'Tis lit - tle

Brighter
mp

N. that the he - ro needs; — If you for ev - er

Al. that the he - ro needs; — If you for ev - er

N. sound his praise, Then he'll be hap - py all his days. —

Al. sound his praise, Then he'll be hap - py all his days. — Oh

cresc. *mf*

Al. luck - y maid - en then — is — she, Whom fate per - mits my

NADINA
The out - looks not so ve - ry —

Al. bride to be. —

N. bright for me; it holds no great de — light. Then who would

Al. ALEXIUS
Then who would

N. not a he - ro be? Oh, yes, a ver - y proud and hap - py

Al. not a he - ro be? Oh, yes, a ver - y proud and hap - py

N. *rit.* he - ro be?

Al. he - ro be? POPOFF

Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, now we

P. he - roes are in clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd, done. We're pre -

P. pared for love and fun. So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us

P. kiss and all be jol - ly; we will sing and dance and play both night and day.

Allegro

NADINA

Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, now these he - roes are in

P. — Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, now we he - roes are in

AURELIA

Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, now these he - roes are in

MASCHA

Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, now these he - roes are in

MASSAKROFF

Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, now these he - roes are in

SOP.

ALT. Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, now these he - roes are in

TEN. Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, now these he - roes are in

BASS Thank the Lord the war is ov - er, now these he - roes are in

CHORUS

Allegro

N.
clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd, done, We're pre - pared for love and

P.
clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd, done, We're pre - pared for love and

Au.
clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd, done, We're pre - pared for love and

M.
clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd, done, We're pre - pared for love and

Ma.
clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd, done, We're pre - pared for love and

clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd, done, We're pre - pared for love and

clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd, done, We're pre - pared for love and

clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd, done, We're pre - pared for love and

clo - ver; All the fight - ing fin - ish'd, done, We're pre - pared for love and

f

f

N. fun! So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

P. fun! So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

Au. fun! So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

M. fun! So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

Ma. fun! So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

fun! So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

fun! So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

fun! So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

fun! So a - way with mel - an - chol - y, Let us kiss and all be

accel.

N. jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and day! We'll sing and

P. jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and day! We'll sing and

Vu. jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and day! We'll sing and

M. jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and day! We'll sing and

Ma. jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and day! We'll sing and

jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and day! We'll sing and

jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and day! We'll sing and

jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and day! We'll sing and

accel.

piu f

N. play, with care a - way, Sing, dance and play, night — and day.

P. play, with care a - way, Sing, dance and play, night — and day.

Au. play, with care a - way, Sing, dance and play, night — and day.

M. play, with care a - way, Sing, dance and play, night — and day.

Ma. play, with care a - way, Sing, dance and play, night — and day.

ALEXIUS

Sing, dance and play, night — and day.

play, with care a - way, Sing, dance and play, night — and day.

play, with care a - way, Sing, dance and play, night — and day.

play, with care a - way, Sing, dance and play, night — and day.

ff

ff

No 7b

Exit

f Orchestra & Trumpets on Stage

ff

piu ff

Exit 1

No 8

Never Was There Such A Lover

Duet

(Alexius and Nadina)

English Words by
STANISLAUS STANGEMusic by
OSCAR STRAUS

Allegretto moderato



ALEXIUS

For - ev - er I am un - de -

dim. *sf* *p*

Piano accompaniment for Alexius's first line of music. The right hand plays a melody with a crescendo leading to a forte (sf) dynamic, followed by a piano (p) section. The left hand provides a steady bass line.

NADINA

Per - haps that's why you're so con - cei - ted.

Al. feat - ed. I nev - er make the least con -

Piano accompaniment for Nadina's first line of music. The right hand plays a melody with a crescendo leading to a forte (sf) dynamic, followed by a piano (p) section. The left hand provides a steady bass line.

N. That's why you leave a bad im-pres-sion.

Al. ces-sion. I nev-er care what folks are

cresc.

N. That's why I see them wink-ing.

Al. think-ing. On ev'-ry pleas-ure quick-ly

mf poco rit.

Al. seiz-ing, I nev-er do what is dis-pleas-ing.

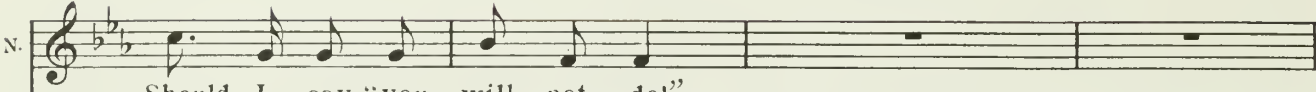
Piu moderato NADINA

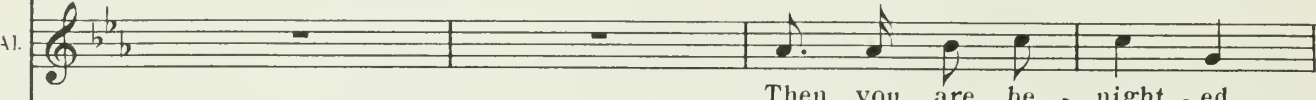
N. Must I be de-light-ed?

Al. When I say "I'll mar-ry you,"

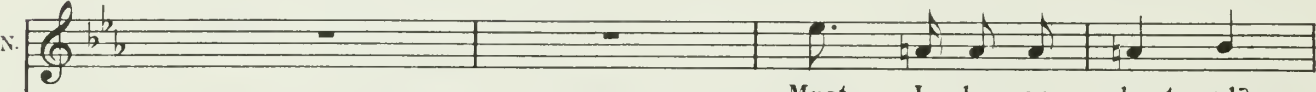
Piu moderato

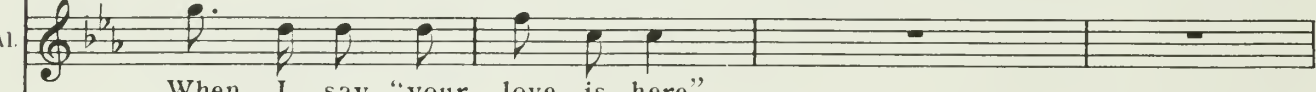
espress.

N. 
Should I say "you will not do!"

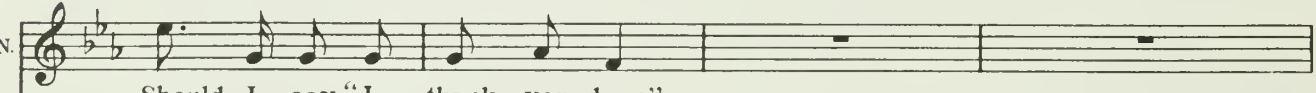
Al. 
Then you are be - night - ed.

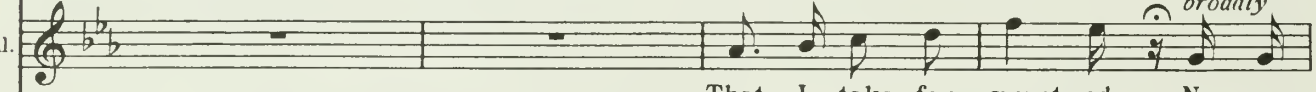


N. 
Must I be en - chant - ed?

Al. 
When I say "your love is here."

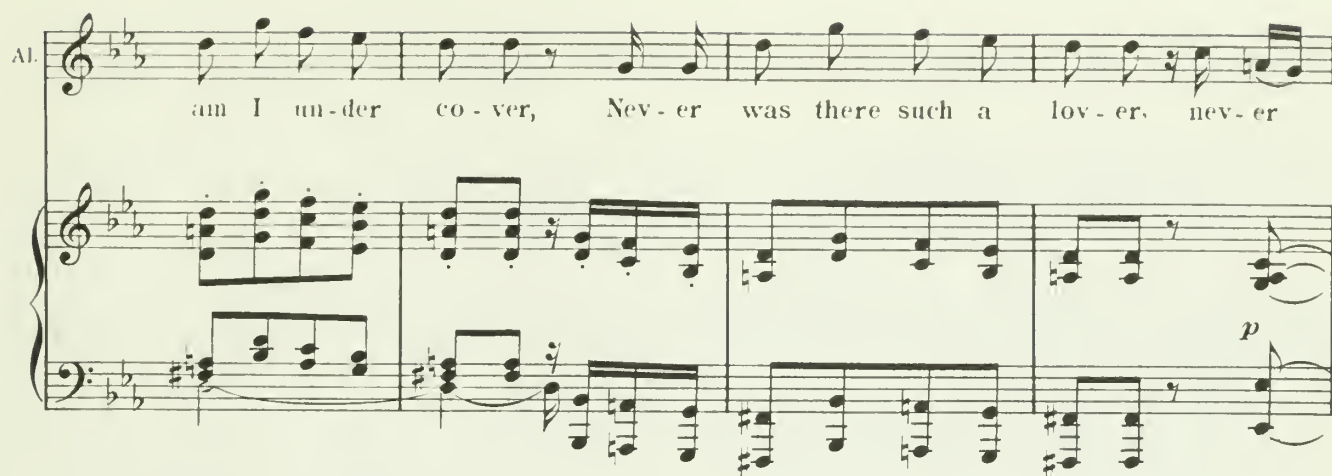


N. 
Should I say "I thank you, dear."

Al. 
That I take for grant - ed. Nev - er

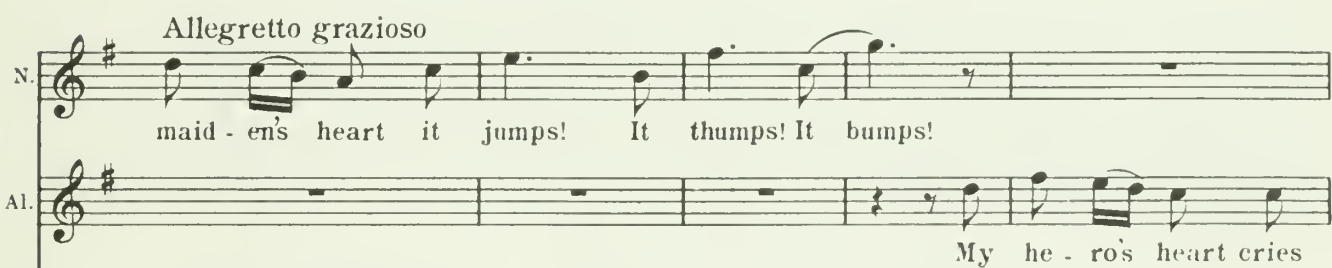


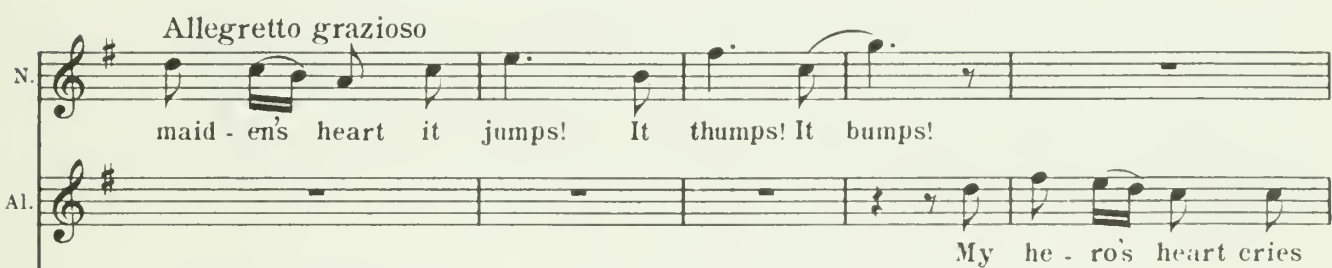
Never was there such a lover 10

Al. 

N. 

Allegretto grazioso

N. 

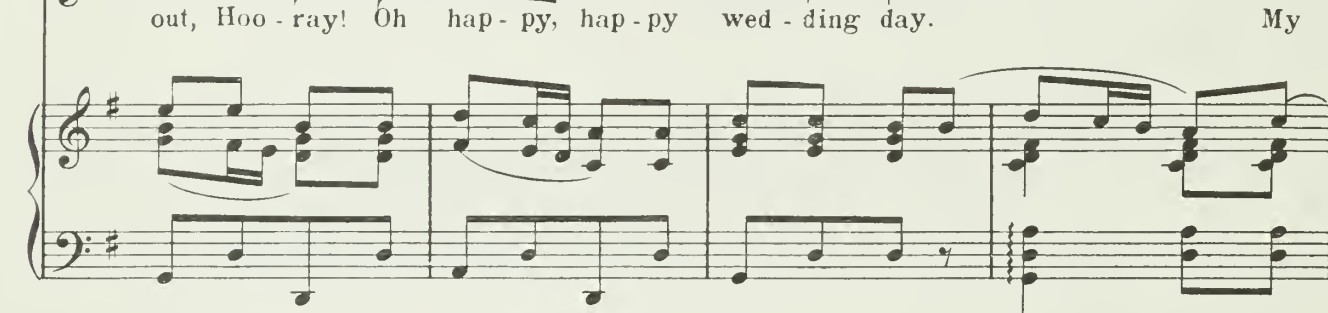
Al. 

Allegretto grazioso

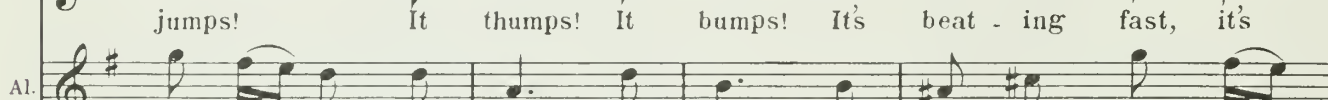


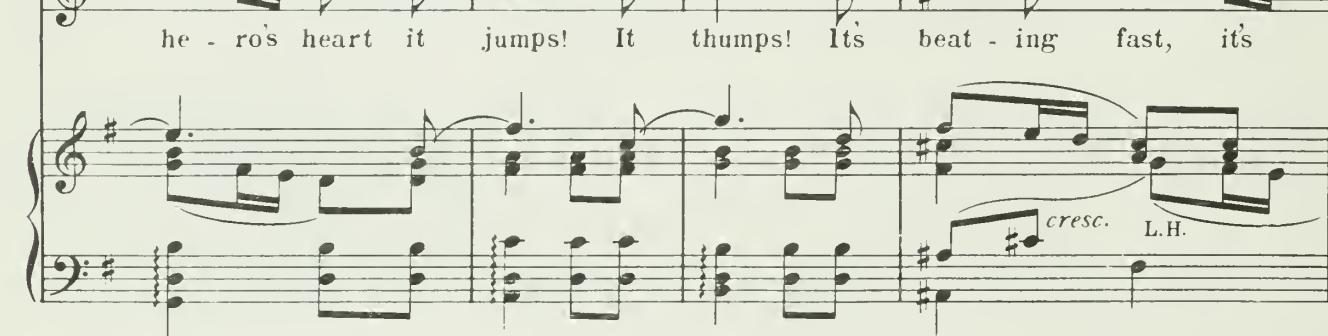
N.  My maid - ens heart it

Al.  out, Hoo - ray! Oh hap - py, hap - py wed - ding day. My

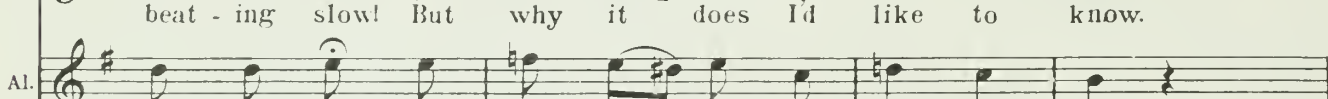


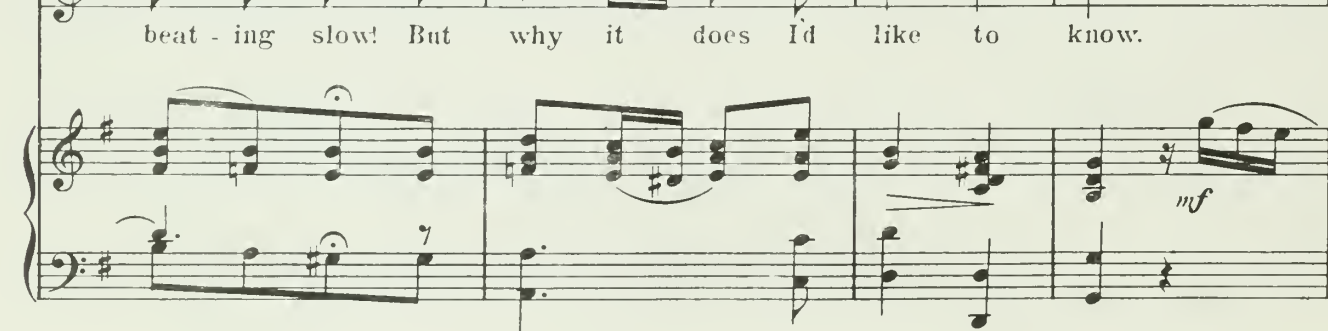
N.  jumps! It thumps! It bumps! Its beat - ing fast, its

Al.  he - ro's heart it jumps! It thumps! Its beat - ing fast, its



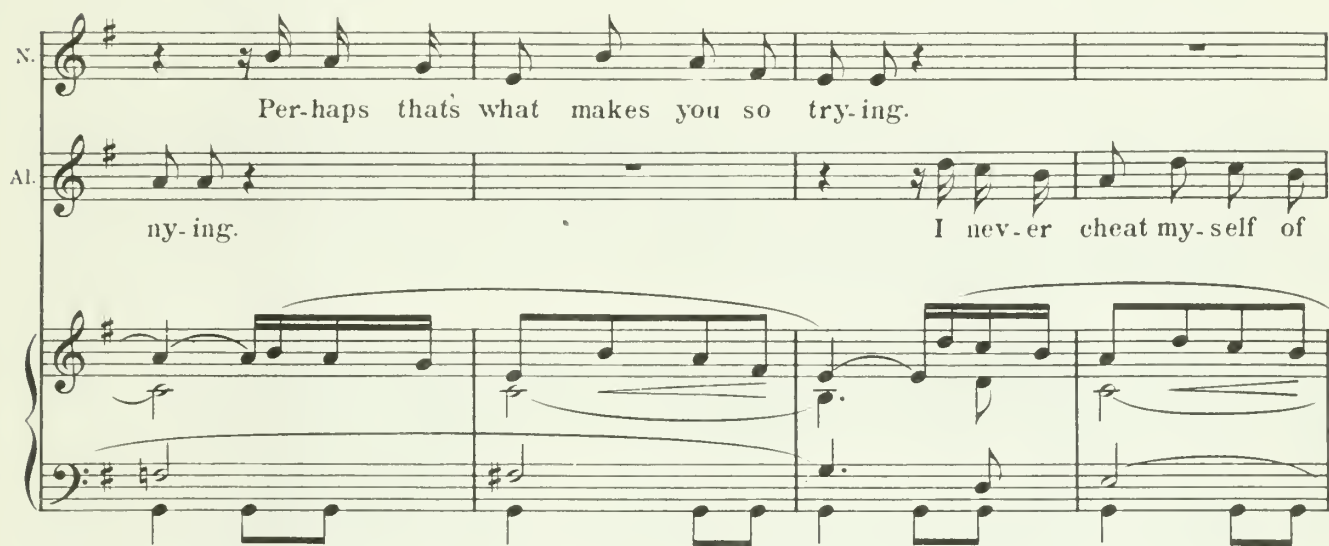
N.  beat - ing slow! But why it does I'd like to know.

Al.  beat - ing slow! But why it does I'd like to know.

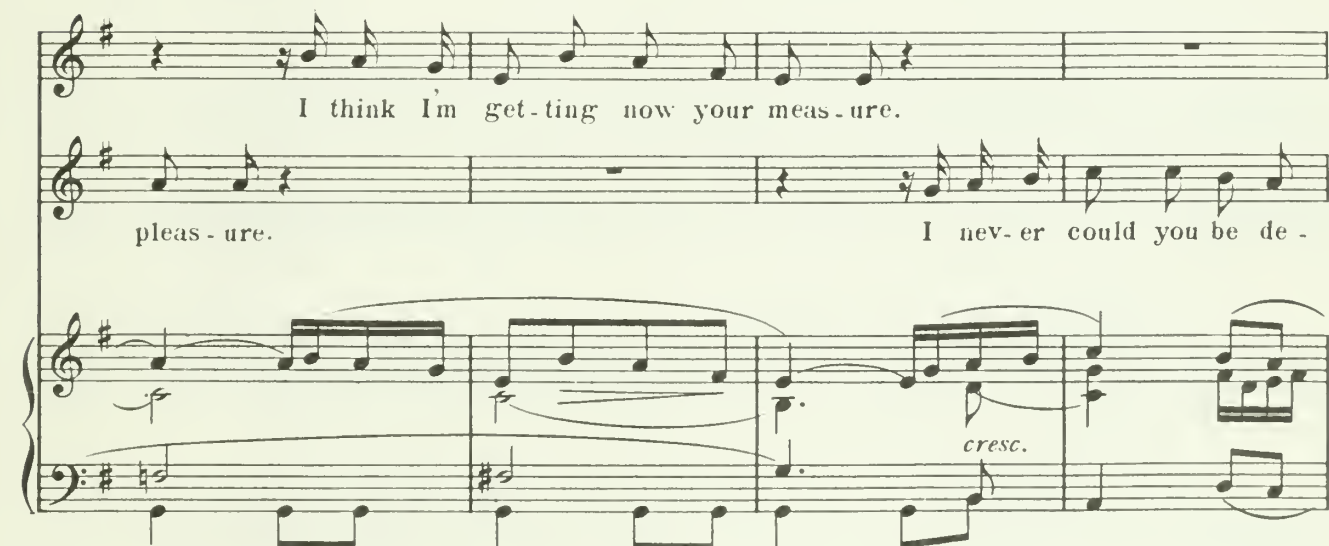


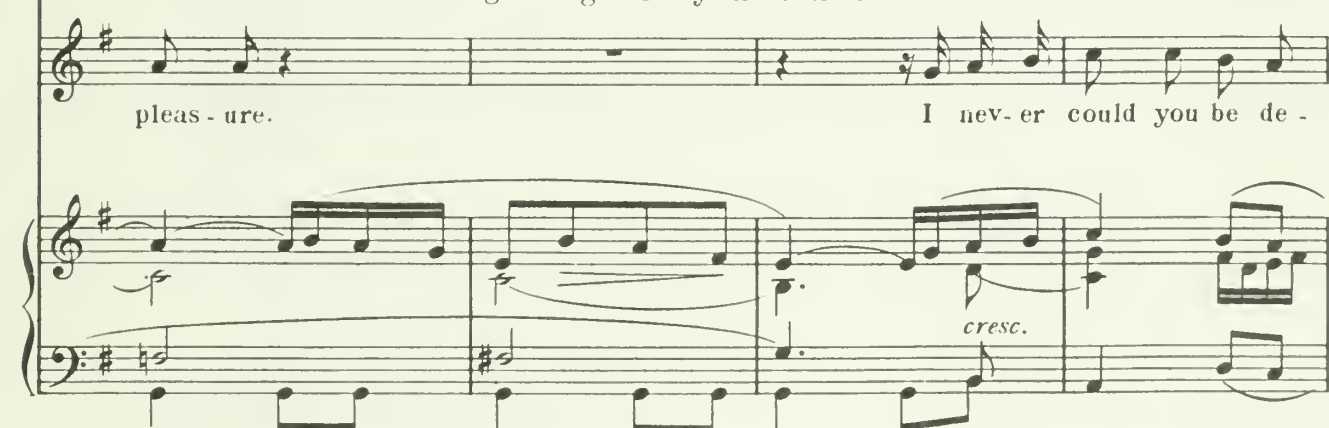
Tempo I

Al.  I nev - er my - self am de -

N.  Per-haps that's what makes you so try-ing.

Al.  ny-ing. I nev-er cheat my-self of

 I think I'm get-ting now your meas-ure.

 pleas-ure. I nev-er could you be de -

N. Ex-cuse me, that's past all be - liev-ing. *poco rit.*

Al. ceiv-ing. I nev-er can fal-ter and

mf poco rit.

N. wav-er, I nev-er shall ask an-y fav-or!

Al. wav-er, I nev-er shall ask an-y fav-or!

p

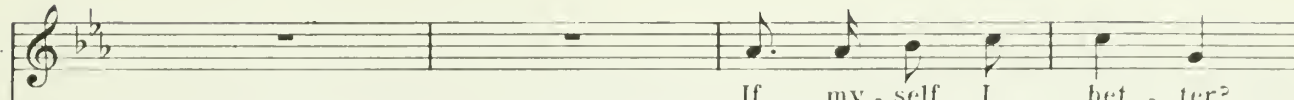
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NADINA

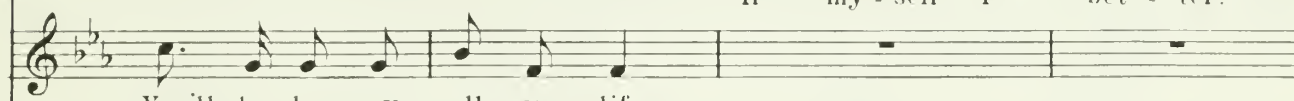
Should I say "I'll be you'r wife?"

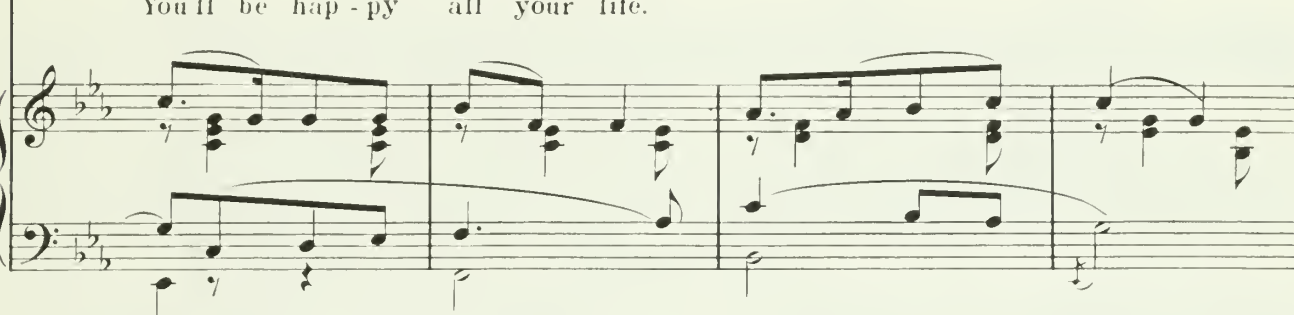
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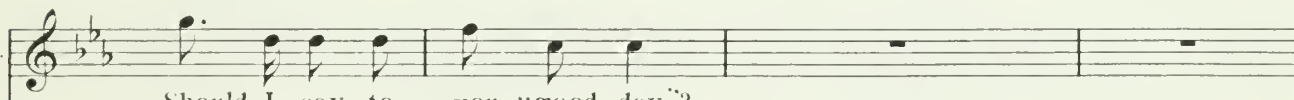
You could do no bet-ter;

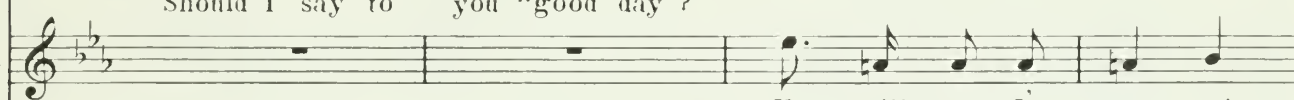
Piu moderato
espress.

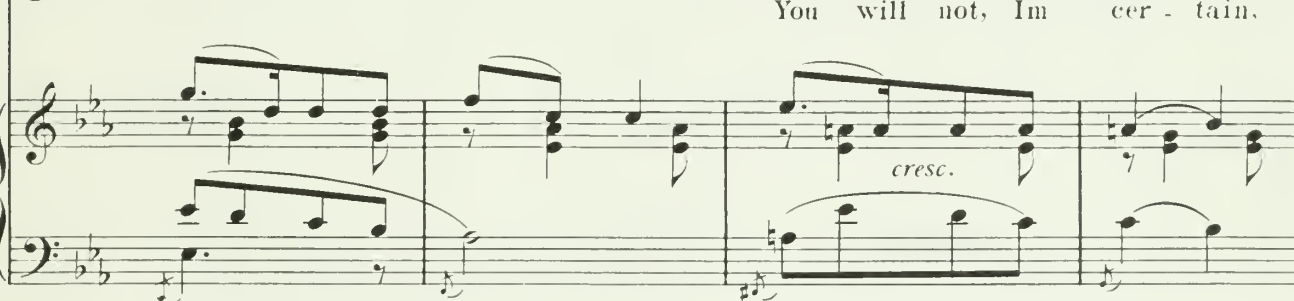
N.  If my - self I bet - ter?

Al.  You'll be hap - py all your life.

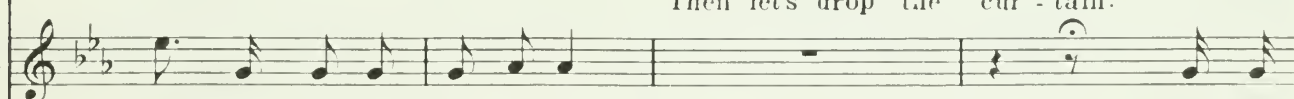


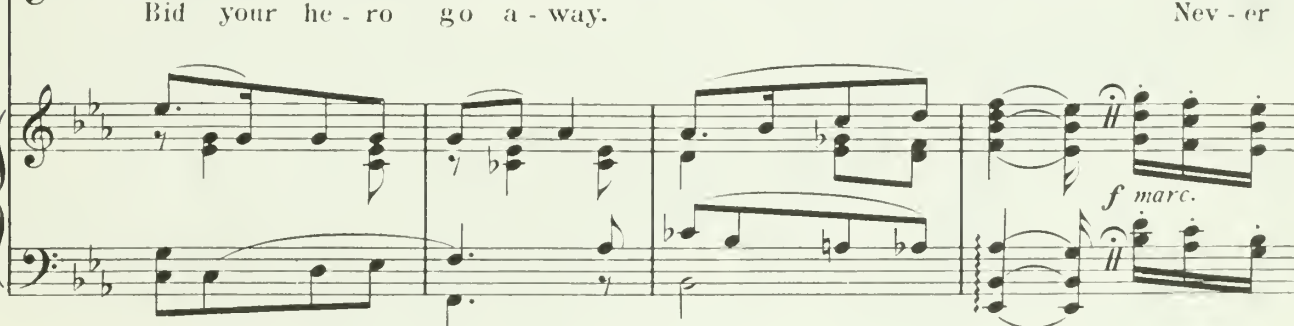
N.  Should I say to you "good day"?

Al.  You will not, I'm cer - tain.



N.  Then let's drop the cur - tain.

Al.  Bid your he - ro go a - way. Nev - er



broadly *rubato*

Al. *am I un - der co - ver, Nev - er was there such a lov - er, nev - er*

broadly *p*

N. *f* *p* My

Al. *was there such a lov - - er.*

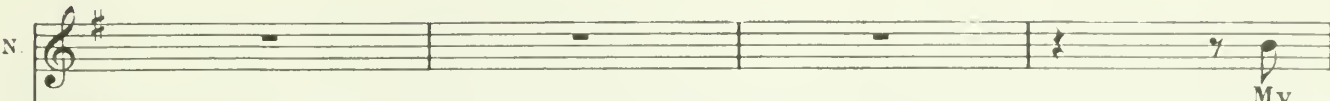
p

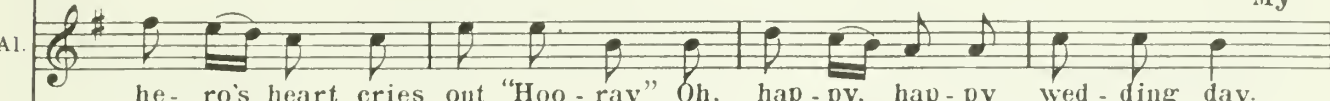
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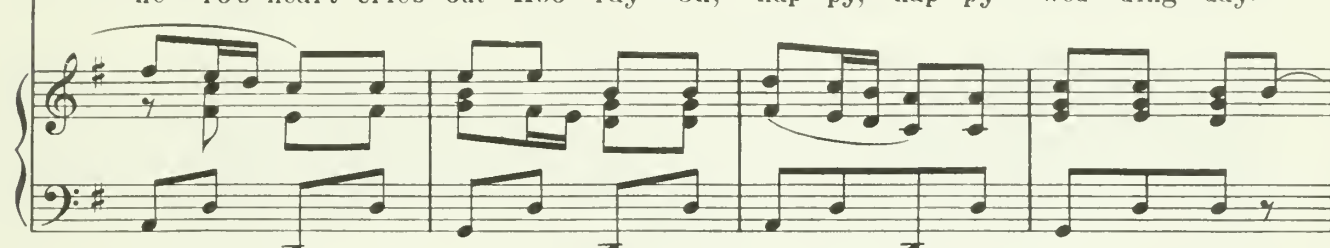
N. *maid - en's heart it jumps! It thumps! It bumps!*

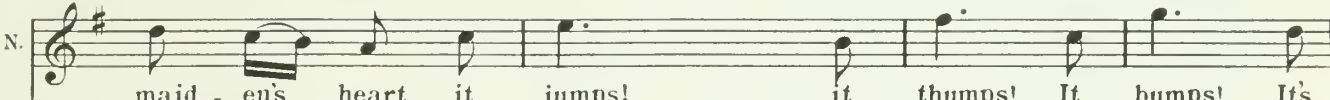
Al. *My*

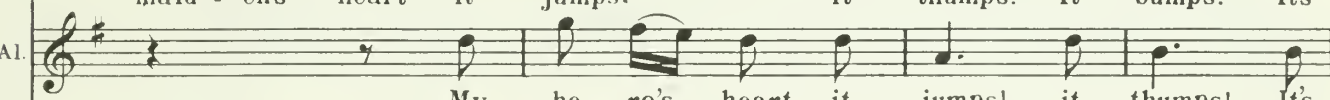
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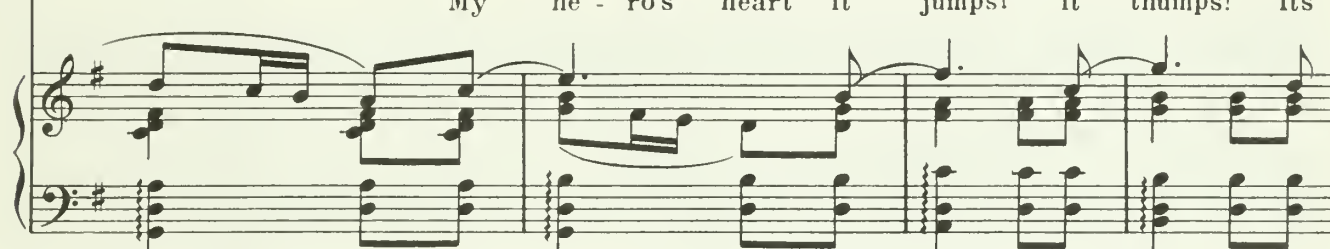
N.  My

Al.  he-ro's heart cries out "Hoo-ray" Oh, hap-py, hap-py wed-ding day.

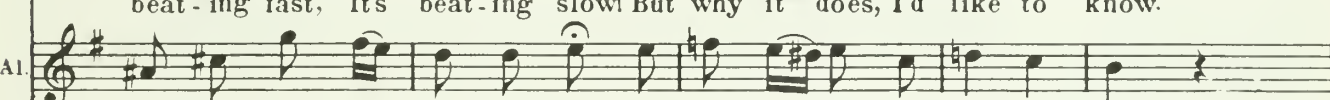


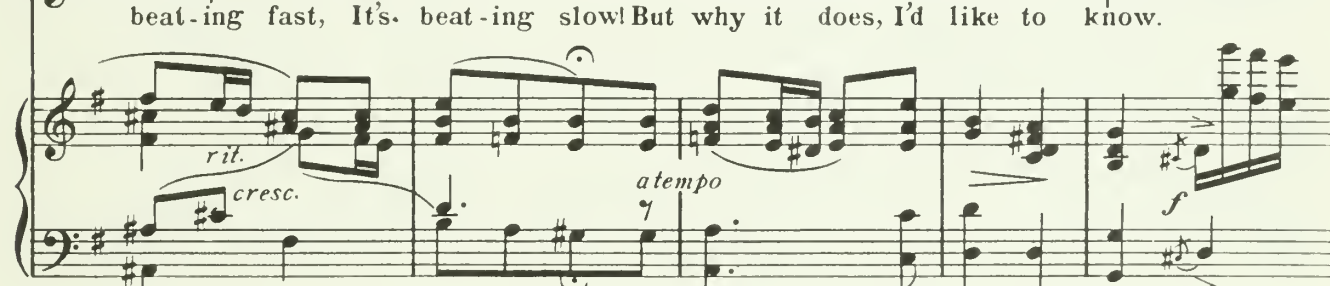
N.  maid-en's heart it jumps! it thumps! It bumps! It's

Al.  My he-ro's heart it jumps! it thumps! It's



N.  *rit.* beat-ing fast, It's beat-ing slow! *a tempo* But why it does, I'd like to know.

Al.  beat-ing fast, It's beat-ing slow! But why it does, I'd like to know.




cresc. *pp*

No 3 of the First Act.

The Chocolate Soldier

No 9

English words by
STANISLAUS STANGE

The Chocolate Soldier

Duet

Music by
OSCAR STRAUS

(Nadina and Bumerli)

Allegretto moderato

NADINA

To tell the truth, I nev-er knew There were he-roes such as

you.

BUMERLI

But you act most im-po - lite - ly. To tell the

Real-ly I am not un - sight - ly,

truth, you will not do, He-roes nev - er were like you.

Now I

cresc.

N
Such a sol-dier sets me laugh-ing.

B
know you're on-ly chaf-fing,

string. e. cresc.

NADINA

A

f *mp*

Marziale

N
sol-dier is brave sir! To la-dies a slave sir! His

BUMERLI

That am I! That am I!

mf *p* *mf*

N
foes all af-fright-ing, His sweet-heart de-light-ing.

B
I af-fright! I de-light!

cresc. *p*

N sol-dier must fight sir! Be he wrong or right sir! His

B When he must. I am just.

mf *cresc.*

N sword he draws first sir! For blood he does thirst, sir!

B I am first! And I thirst!

p

N *quietly* Ei! Ei! Oh,

B In bat-tle I'm a soldier brave.

quietly

N *rit.* *a tempo* Oh you

yes. A choc'late sol-dier man.

dim. *rit.* *a tempo*

N
lit - tle choc'- late sol-dier man, You're far too sweet and pret - ty, Oh you

N
fun - ny choc'- late sol-dier man, For you I feel great pi - ty. Oh you

N
sil - ly choc'- late sol - dier man, Just made to please young mis - ses, So

N
poco rit. sweet you'd melt, If— you e'er felt, *a tempo* A— full grown maid-en's kiss - es, Oh you

N lit - tle choc'-late sol-dier man, You're far too sweet and pret - ty, Oh you

B I am her choc'-late sol-dier man, She thinks me sweet and pret - ty,

N fun - ny choc'-late sol-dier man, For you I feel great pi - ty. Oh you

B I am her choc'-late sol-dier man, For me she feels great pi - ty.

N sil - ly choc'-late sol-dier man, Just made to please young mis-ses. So sweet you'd melt, If

B I am her choc'-late sol-dier man, Just made to please young mis-ses. So sweet you'd melt, If

N you e'er felt, A full grown maiden's kiss - es.

B I'd like to try your kiss - es. I am a

Poco moderato

B
war - ri - or by trade, And not a sol - dier hea - ven made, I stud - ied

shoot - ing, prac - tised rid - ing, I stud - ied fen - cing, fate de - ci - ding, I am a

Quietly
NADINA *Tempo I.*

To tell the truth I never

B
war - ri - or by chance And not a he - ro of ro - mance.

rit. *Quietly* *p* *Tempo I.*

N
know There were he - roes such as you, In flight a cow - ard safe - ly seek - ing. BUMERLI

B
I can't be -

The image shows a musical score for a song titled "The Soldier's Song" from the opera "The Pirates of Penzance". The score is written for three parts: N (Narrator), B (Bass), and a Piano accompaniment. The tempo is marked "Marziale" (March tempo). The key signature is one flat (B-flat major or D minor). The lyrics are: "sol-dier is brave, sir. To la-dies a slave, sir. His That am I! That am I." The piano part features a rhythmic accompaniment with chords and single notes, marked with dynamics like *mf* (mezzo-forte) and *p* (piano).

Marziale

N sol-dier is brave, sir. To la-dies a slave, sir. His

B That am I! That am I.

Marziale

mf *p* *mf* *p*

The image shows a musical score for the song "The Rose Tree." It is arranged for a vocal duet (Soprano and Alto) and piano accompaniment. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The vocal parts are in treble clef, and the piano part is in grand staff (treble and bass clef). The lyrics are: "foes all af-fright-ing, His sweet-heart de-light-ing" (Soprano) and "I af-fright! I de-light!" (Alto). The piano part includes a crescendo marking and a piano marking.

Vocal Parts:

- Soprano (N):** foes all af-fright-ing, His sweet-heart de-light-ing
- Alto (B):** I af-fright! I de-light!

Piano Accompaniment:

- Right Hand:** Features chords and single notes, with a *cresc.* marking and a *p* marking.
- Left Hand:** Features a simple bass line.

N
sol-dier must fight sir! Be he wrong or right, sir! His

B
When he must! I am just!

mf *cresc.*

N sword he draws first, sir! For blood he does thirst, sir!

B I am first! And I thirst!

p

N Ei! Ei! Oh,

B In bat - tle I'm a sol-dier brave!

N yes, A cho-clate sol-dier man. Oh you

dim. *f*

N lit - tle cho-co-late sol-dier man, You're far too sweet and pret - ty, Oh you

B I am her cho-co-late sol-dier man She thinks one's sweet and pret - ty.

N fun - ny cho - co - late sol - dier man, For you I feel great pi - ty. Oh you

B I am her choc' - late sol - dier man, For me she feels great pi - ty.

N sil - ly cho - co - late sol - dier man, Just made to - please young mis - ses. So -

poco rit.

N sweet you'd melt, If - you e'er felt A - full grown maid - en's kiss - es.

B I'd like to - try your kiss - es.

a tempo

Quickly

No 10

The Tale of a Coat
Sextett

(Nadina, Mascha, Aurelia, Alexius, Bumerli, Popoff)

English Words by
STANISLAUS STANGEMusic by
OSCAR STRAUS

Moderato

POPOFF

Oh, I

p

cresc.

p. tell you, there's no great-er plea-sure Than when you're com-plete-ly at your

p. ease, When all things you take at your lei-sure And do just what-ev-er you

NADINA

Oh, I tell you, there's no great - er plea - sure Than when

MASCHA

Oh, I tell you, there's no great - er plea - sure Than when

AURELIA

Oh, I tell you, there's no great - er plea - sure Than when

ALEXIUS

Oh, I tell you, there's no great - er plea - sure Than when

BUMERLI

Oh, I tell you, there's no great - er plea - sure Than when

please.

you're com-plete-ly at your ease.

you're com-plete-ly at your ease.

you're com-plete-ly at your ease.

you're com-plete-ly at your ease.

you're com-plete-ly at your ease.

When all things you take at your

cresc.

N. **NADINA**
If in his pocket he should

Ma. **MASCHA**
If in his pocket he should

A. **AURELIA**
If in his pocket he should

P. lei - sure And do just what ev - er you please.

N. **Animato**
feel — My doom at once he'd quick - ly seal. — My pic - ture's there! In -

Ma. **Animato**
feel — My doom at once he'd quick - ly seal. — I'm in dis - tress! In -

A. **Animato**
feel — My doom at once he'd quick - ly seal. — In -

B. **BUMERLI**
In -

Animato
cresc. *f*

N. deed this is a pret - ty mess! My pic - ture's there, Oh, what a mess, Oh,

Ma. deed this is a pret - ty mess! My pic - ture's there, Oh, what a mess, Oh,

A. deed this is a pret - ty mess! Oh,

B. deed this is a pret - ty mess! Oh,

P. POPOFF Oh,

poco rit. Tempo I

N. most un - luck - y coat!

Ma. most un - luck - y coat!

A. most un - luck - y coat!

B. most un - luck - y coat!

P. com - fort - a - ble coat, most com - fort - a - ble coat! Oh, I Tempo I

P. tell you, there's no greater pleasure Than when you're complete - ly at your ease, When

P. all things you take at your lei - sure And do just what - ev - er you

cresc.

NADINA
N. Oh, I tell you, there's no great - er plea - sure Than when

MASCHA
Ma. Oh, I tell you, there's no great - er plea - sure Than when

AURELIA
A. Oh, I tell you, there's no great - er plea - sure Than when

ALEXIUS
Al. Oh, I tell you, there's no great - er plea - sure Than when

BUMERLI
B. Oh, I tell you, there's no great - er plea - sure Than when

P. please.

cresc.

N. you're complete-ly at your ease.

Ma. you're complete-ly at your ease.

A. you're complete-ly at your ease.

Al. you're complete-ly at your ease.

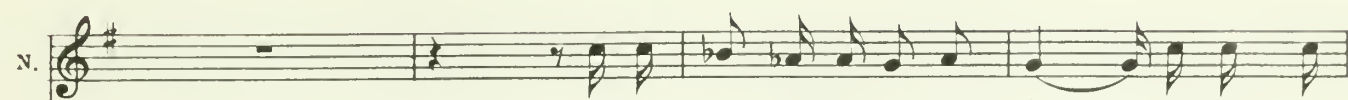
B. you're complete-ly at your ease.

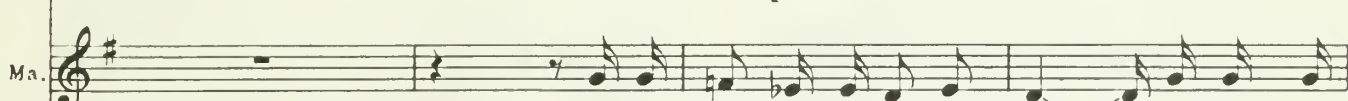
P. When all things you take at your lei-sure And

Meno mosso

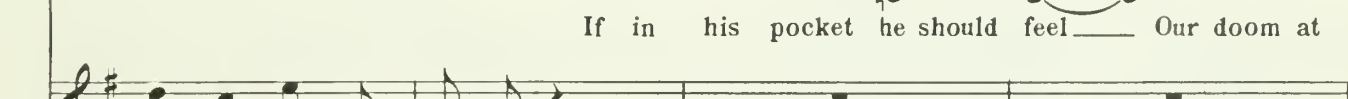
P. do just what-ev - er you please. Pipes of peace now we will be smok-ing, Let's for-

P. get all else in jok - ing; Pipes of peace now we will be smok-ing, Let's for-

N.  If in his pocket he should feel — Our doom at

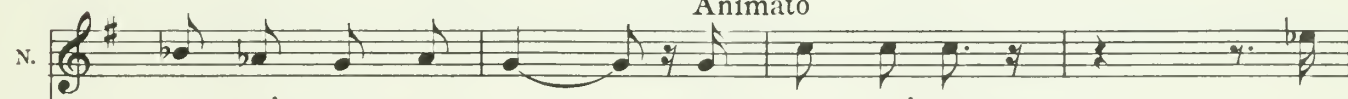
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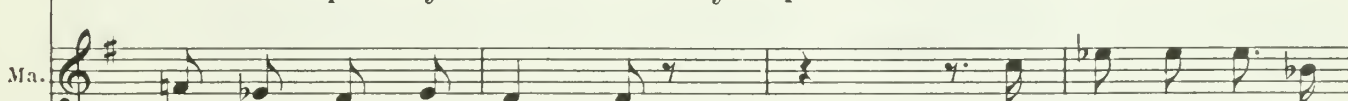
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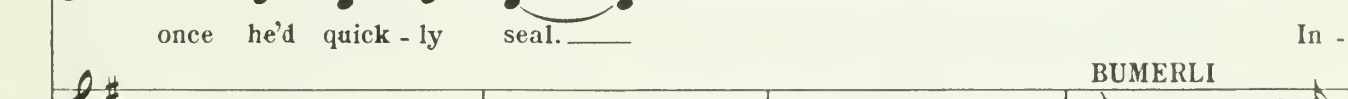


Animato

N.  once he'd quick - ly seal. — My pic - ture's there! In -

Ma.  once he'd quick - ly seal. — I'm in dis - tress! In -

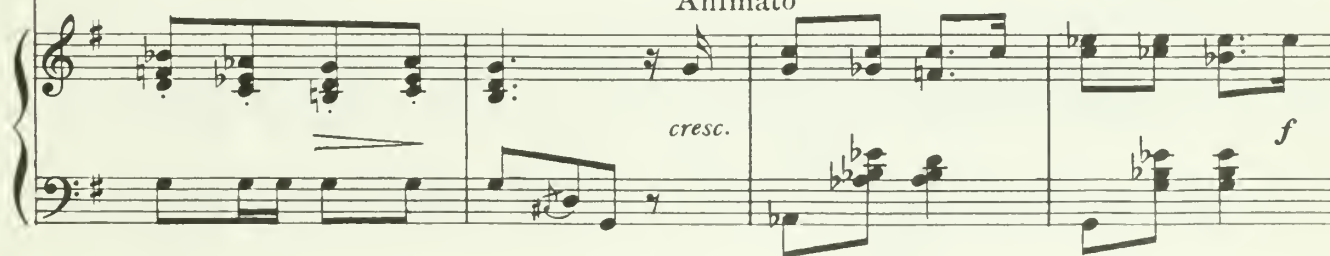
A.  once he'd quick - ly seal. — In -

B.  BUMERLI In -

Animato

cresc.

f



N. deed this — is a pret - ty mess! My pic - ture's there, Oh, what a mess, Oh,

Ma. deed this is a pret - ty mess! My pic - ture's there, Oh, what a mess, Oh,

A. deed this is a pret - ty mess! Oh,

B. deed this is a pret - ty mess! Oh,

P. Oh,

N. *rit.* most un - luck - y coat! *Slower*

Ma. most un - luck - y coat!

A. most un - luck - y coat!

B. most un - luck - y coat!

P. most un - luck - y coat!

rit. *Slower* *p*

Allegretto

POPOFF

Allegro

P. *All would be right If I now had a light. A - ha!*

BUMERLI

B. *Hold!* *You need a*

P. *What's wrong, What is it that you fear?*

POPOFF

P. *match, sir, It is here! Ma - ny thanks, oh, ma - ny thanks, ma - ny thanks,*

NADINA

N. *Ma - ny thanks!*

P. *ma - ny thanks!*

AURELIA *Ma - ny thanks!*

rit. Animato

N. We did that ver - y

Mas. MASCHA
Ma - ny thanks! We did that ver - y

A. AURELIA
We did that ver - y

Animato

N. well, He did that ver-y well, — He did that ver - y

Mas. well, He did that ver-y well, — He did that ver - y

A. well, Yes, did that ver-y well, — He did that ver - y

B. BUMERLI
I did that ve - ry well. I did that ver-y well, — Yes, did that ver - y

N. well. Here's to your ver-y good health.

Ma. well. Here's to your ver-y good health.

A. well. Here's to your ver-y good health.

Al. well. Here's to your ver-y good health.

B. Here's to your ver-y good health.

P. POPOFF (sneezing)

P. If I catch cold there's no re-lief. where is, where is my

cresc.

B. BUMERLY

P. hand-ker-chief? Hold!

mf

B. You need a hand-ker - chief? 'tis here.

P. A - gain, what is it now you fear?

cresc.

B. Pray you take mine, Oh do, oh do!

P. I had my own, Ker - chew! Ker - chew!

N. NADINA
Many thanks!

Ma. MASCHA
Many thanks!

A. AURELIA
Many thanks!

P. Many thanks!

Animato

N. He did that ver - y well,

Ma. He did that ver - y well,

A. He did that ver - y well,

B. BUMERLI I did that ver - y

Animato

sf *f*

N. He did that ver - y well, — He did that ver - y well.

Ma. He did that ver - y well, — He did that ver - y well.

A. He did that ver - y well, — He did that ver - y well.

B. well, I did that ver - y well, — I did that ver - y well.

f

Andante, ad lib.

N. NADINA
A-lex-ius!

Ma. MASCHA
Oh, tim-id, mod-est maid!

A. ALEXIUS
Na-di-na!

Andante, ad lib.

Ma. AURELIA I think they're both a-fraid.

A. POPOFF Kas-i-mir!

P. Aurelia!

A. ALEXIUS
Na-di - na!

Allegretto
ALEXIOUS

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Al. It did not take me long, dear, To know that some-thing's wrong, dear. Pray

mf

NADINA

N. It's no con-cern of mine. POPOFF

Al. P. tell me, don't de-cline. Nor did it take me

cresc.

P. long, dear, To guess that some-thing's wrong, dear, Pray tell me, don't de-

cresc.

AURELIA

A. It's no con-cern of mine. ALEXIOUS

Al. 'Tis some-thing very wrong, I

P. cline. Yes, some-thing very wrong,

dim.

Al. will find out ere long, It may call for our ven - geance

P. I will find out ere long,

cresc.

Al. dire, This does me much up-set,

P. Yes, may call for our vengeance dire, I'll

Al. Yes, make them all re-gret, Take

P. make them all re-gret, This does me much up-set,

Al. care, Be - ware, don't play with fire.

P. Take care, Be - ware, don't play with fire.

f p

(to Mascha)

Al. Pray have no fear, Come tell me, dear, what is wrong

P.

cresc.

MASCHA

Ma. I noth-ing know.

Al. here? That is not so.

Al. You lie! You lie! It

f *mf*

Al. did not take me long, dear, To know that some-things' wrong, dear, Pray

MASCHA

Ma. Its no con - cern of mine.

Al. tell me, don't de - cline. There's

cresc. *dim.* *p*

Al. some-thing ver-y wrong, Yes, ver - y wrong, I will find out ere long, Find

POPOFF

P. Yes, some-thing ver-y wrong, I

MASCHA

Ma. Am I a

Al. out ere long. BUMERLI (to Mascha)

B. Mas - cha, don't tell tales out of school.

P. will find out ere long.

cresc.

Ma. fool?

Al. 'Tis some-thing very wrong, Yes, some-thing very wrong, I

B. Be not their tool.

P. Yes, some-thing very wrong,

Al. will find out ere long, I will find out ere long, Be - ware, Be -

P. I will find out ere long, Be - ware, (Be -

A. AURELIA Allegretto Kind - ly tell me what is the

Al. ware, you play with fire.

B. You play with fire, with fire.

P. ware, you play with fire.

Allegretto

A. matter, Would you have our dear friends all chatter? Why should they

P. Why should they chatter?

A. chat-ter? To the wedding they're in - vi - ted.

P. To all our friends I shall be most de -

BUMERLI

B. What, in that coat? 'Twould nev-er do!

P. lighted. There's some-thing wrong that must be righted;

cresc.

NADINA *accel*

MASCHA *accel* No, no, no, no, no, no, To wear that

AURELIA *accel* No, no, no, no, no, no, To wear that

B. BUMERLI To wear that

P. What if my wife should prove un - true?

N. coat would nev-er do!

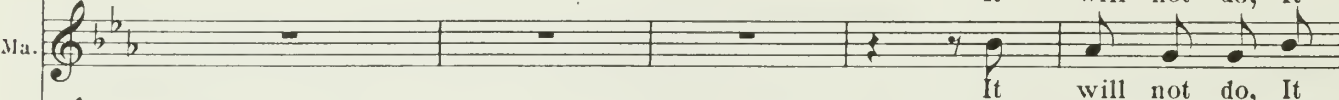
Ma. coat would nev-er do!

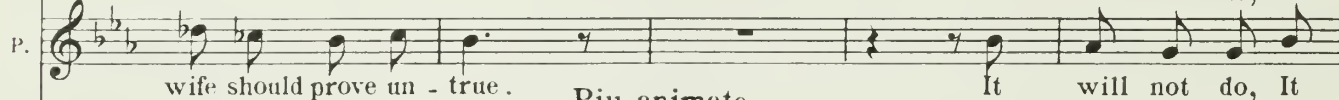
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B. coat would nev-er do!

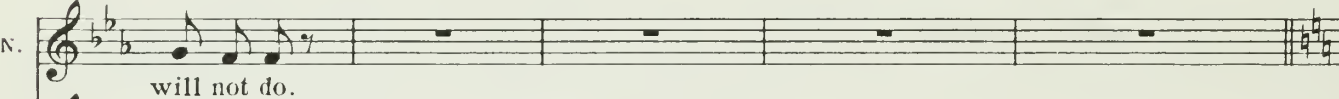
P. Yes, yes, yes, yes, yes, yes! Oh, if my

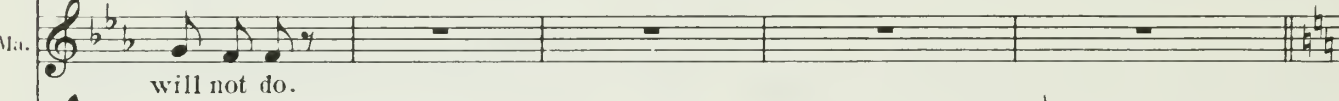
N.  It will not do, It

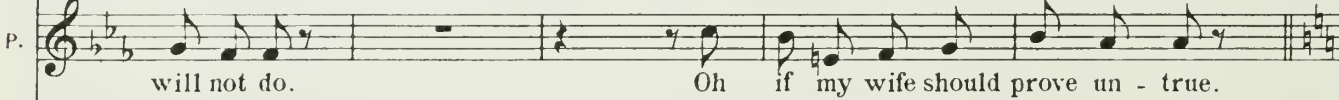
Ma.  It will not do, It

P.  wife should prove un - true. *Piu animato* It will not do, It



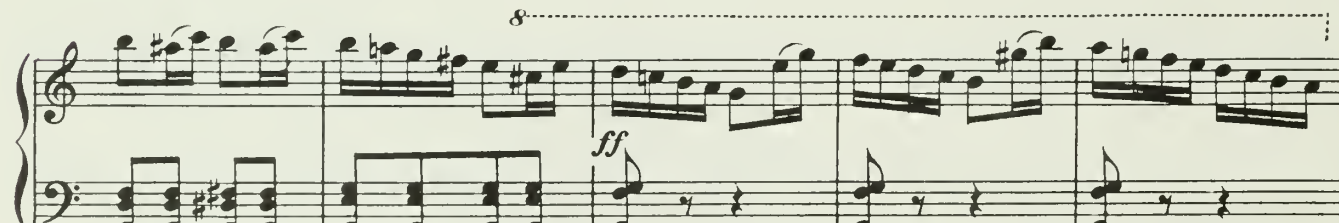
N.  will not do.

Ma.  will not do.

P.  will not do. Oh if my wife should prove un - true.




poco a poco accel.



ff

NADINA *Allegro*

N. MASCHA Once more care-free, Now we can hap-py,

Ma. AURELIA My hon-ors saved. Now we can hap-py,

A. Now we can hap-py,

Allegro

N. hap-py be, My hon-ors saved, Once more care-free. Let us now laugh-ing, *molto rit.*

Ma. hap-py be, My hon-ors saved, Once more care-free. Let us now laugh-ing,

A. hap-py be, Let us now laugh-ing, *molto rit.*

Vivace

N. hap-py be. We did that ver - y well, We did that ver - y

Ma. hap-py be. We did that ver - y well, We did that ver - y

A. hap-py be. We did that ver - y well, We did that ver - y

B. BUMERLI

Al. ALEXIUS What do they think of that? I think they smell a

P. POPOFF What do you think of that? I think I smell a

What do you think of that? I think I smell a

Vivace

N. well, Yes, did that ver - y well, — We did that well, — We did that

Ma. well, Yes, did that ver - y well, — We did that well, — We did that

A. well, Yes, did that ver - y well, — We did that well, — We did that

B. rat, A ro - dent large at that, — I think they smell, — Yes, smell a

Al. rat, A ro - dent large at that, — I think I smell, — Yes, smell a

P. rat, A ro - dent large at that, — I think I smell, — Yes, smell a

N. ver - y well.

Ma. ver - y well.

A. ver - y well.

B. great big rat.

Al. great big rat.

P. great big rat.

sf

ff

No 11

The Chocolate Soldier

"That would be lovely"

English Words by
STANISLAUS STANGEDuet
Nadina and BumerliMusic by
OSCAR STRAUS

Allegretto.

BUMERLI.

I nev-er loved be-fore-dear; That's why I am so

Allegretto.

p

NADINA.

If you could make that clear, dear, Then would my heart be glad.

sad. But

Yes, I must wed an-

you must wed an-oth-er, And I must sigh a-lone,—

col canto

f cresc. *cresc.*

poco rit.
oth-er, Leave you to grieve and moan.—

a tempo
But if you were my wife, you would most

poco rit. *p* *a tempo*

Be hap-py all my life, it you were

hap - py be, yes ver - y hap - py be.

rit.
wed to me?

rit.
Of that there is no doubt, I know what I'm a-bout. Each

rit. *cresc.* *p*

That would be lovely. 7

a tempo

morn-ing you should have a kiss, at mid-day two, may-be, ——— Then

a tempo

at night, If you were po-lite, per-haps I'd give you three. ——— Each

accel.

cresc.

accel.

morn-ing you should have a kiss, at mid-day two, may-be, ——— And

mf

cresc.

a tempo NADINA.

That would most

rit.

if at night, you were po-lite, per-haps I'd give you three. ———

rit.

a tempo

That would be lovely. 7

love - - ly be! — That would most

That would most love - ly be! —

love - - ly — be, — *rit.* That would most love - ly be.

Yes, love - ly be, — That would most love - ly be.

a tempo

The maid-en said "I'm sor-ry, A he-ro I must

p a tempo

wed." The

Her lov-er said "Don't wor-ry: Be glad you are not dead."

That would by lovely. 7

time is draw-ing near-er, The bells full soon will sing;— To me you're grow-ing

cresc.

poco rit.

dear-er, The bells will sor-row bring.

a tempo

Then let him go, take me, You'll hap-py

poco rit.

p

a tempo

May-be and so would you:

be with me! He will leave you, that's true! Be-tray you,

rit. There's plen-ty ev'-ry day, *a tempo* So lis-ten now, I pray. Each
run a-way?

rit. *cresc.* *p* *a tempo*

morn-ing I can win a man, at mid-day two, may be, — Then

rit. at night, If I feel all right, For ev'-ry fin-ger three. — Each
accel.

rit. *accel.*

morn-ing I can win a man, or an-y time I try. — And

f *cresc.*

That would be lovely. 7

rit. *a tempo*

so fare-well, my dear - est friend, A - dieu, al - so good - bye! —

BUMERLI.

A - dieu, al -

rit. *a tempo* *p*

Poco meno.

A - dieu, al - so good - bye! — A - dieu, al -

so — good - bye! —

Poco meno.

rit.

so — good - bye! — A - dieu, al - so good - bye.

A - dieu, good - bye! — A - dieu, al - so good - bye.

rit.

No 12

The Chocolate Soldier.

Finale Act II

(Nadina, Mascha, Aurelia, Bumerli, Alexius, Popoff, Massakroff, and Chorus)

English Words by
STANISLAUS STANGEMusic by
OSCAR STRAUS

Allegro moderato.

p *cresc.* *piu cresc.* *f* *ff*

CHORUS.

SOPR.		Peo - ple! Peo - ple!	En - ter in!	Soon the feast - ing	will be - gin;
ALTO.					
TENOR.		Peo - ple!	En - ter in!	Soon the feast - ing	will be - gin;
BASS.		Peo - ple! Peo - ple!	En - ter in!	Soon the feast - ing	will be - gin;
		Peo - ple!	En - ter in!	Soon the feast - ing	will be - gin;

f

Wed-ding bells will ring out gay, Our Na - din - a weds to - day!

Wed-ding bells will ring out gay, Our Na - din - a weds to - day!

Wed-ding bells will ring out gay, Our Na - din - a weds to - day!

Wed-ding bells will ring out gay, Our Na - din - a weds to - day!

mf

cresc.

Hoo - ray! Hoo - ray!

Hoo - ray! Hoo - ray!

Hoo - ray! Hoo - ray!

Hoo - ray! Hoo - ray!

f

rit. dim.

Poco Allegretto.

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AURELIA

Sopr. Tacet.

My moth - er's heart it jumps! it thumps! it bumps! POPOFF

Poco Allegretto.

p

My

Au. My

P fa - ther's heart is light and gay, My fa - ther's heart cries out Hoo - ray! My

Au. moth - er's heart it jumps! it thumps! it bumps! It's

P fa - ther's heart it jumps! it thumps! it bumps! It's

Au. *rit.* beat - ing fast; It's beat - ing slow! But why it does I'd like to know. *a tempo.*

P beat - ing fast; It's beat - ing slow! But why it does I'd like to know.

cresc. rit. *a tempo.* *accel.* *f*

Tempo I.

Peo - ple! Peo - ple! En - ter in! Soon the feast - ing will be - gin, Wed - ding bells will

Peo - ple! En - ter in! Soon feast - ing will be - gin, Wed - ding bells will

Peo - ple! Peo - ple! En - ter in! Soon the feast - ing will be - gin, Wed - ding bells will

Peo - ple! En - ter in! Soon feast - ing will be - gin, Wed - ding bells will

Tempo I.

f

ring out gay, Our Na - di - na weds to - day!

ring out gay, Our Na - di - na weds to - day!

ring out gay, Our Na - di - na weds to - day!

ring out gay, Our Na - di - na weds to - day!

dim.

DANCE
Piu moderato

First system of musical notation for the Dance section. The key signature is three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat). The tempo is Piu moderato. The first staff (treble clef) begins with a forte piano (*fp*) dynamic, followed by a mezzo piano (*mp*) dynamic, and then an expressive (*espr.*) dynamic. The second staff (bass clef) provides a steady accompaniment.

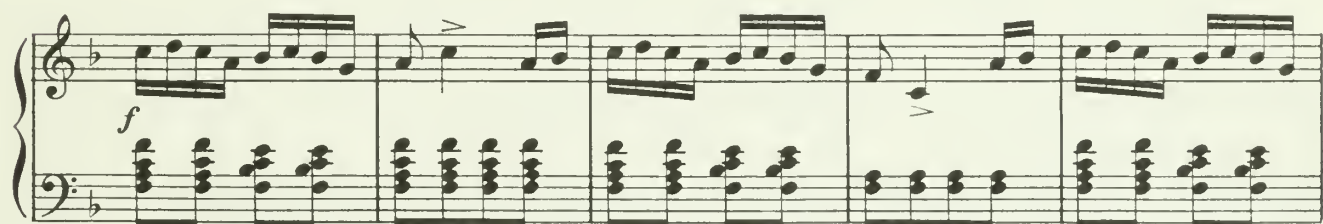
Second system of musical notation. The first staff continues the melodic line with various ornaments and slurs. The second staff continues the accompaniment with consistent rhythmic patterns.

Third system of musical notation. The first staff features an expressive (*espr.*) dynamic. The second staff continues the accompaniment.

Fourth system of musical notation. The first staff begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The tempo marking "Vivo (gradually faster)" appears above the staff. The second staff continues the accompaniment.

Fifth system of musical notation. The first staff continues the melodic development. The second staff continues the accompaniment. A mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic is indicated at the end of the system.

Sixth system of musical notation. The first staff continues the melodic line. The second staff continues the accompaniment.



CHORUS

The church bells are ring - ing, of
The church bells are ring - ing, of
The church bells of

Molto moderato
(Church Bells) *mf*

love they are sing - ing— Hail to the bride! The fond hap - py
love they are sing - ing— Hail to the bride!— The fond hap - py
love sing, Oh, Hail, bride! The fond

groom! They cry nev - er fal - ter, Oh, Come to the al - tar, Come
groom!— They cry nev - er fal - ter, Oh, Come to the al - tar, Come
groom! They cry, fal - ter, Oh, Come al - tar, Come

side by side, Oh, Come to your doom!

side by side, Oh, Come to your doom!

side, Oh, Come doom!

ALEXIUS

POPOFF

For the church are you both pre - pared?

NADINA

I am pre - pared!

Al. am pre - pared!

poco cresc.

r.h.

BUMERLI (to Nadina)

You will re - gret!

NADINA

I'll not re - gret!

POPOFF (to Alex.)

If you'd be

(to Nadina)

hap - py, nev - er de - ceive, In one an - oth - er al - ways be -

lieve.

espr. *molto.*

CHORUS

SOPR.
ALTO.
TEN.
BASS.

The church bells are ring - ing, Of love they are

The church bells Of love

sing - ing, Hail to the bride! The fond hap - py groom!

sing - ing, Hail to the bride! The fond hap - py groom!

sing - ing, Hail bride! The fond groom!

p dolce

DIALOGUE

The musical score on page 154 consists of six systems of staves. The first system includes a vocal staff (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment (grand staff). The piano part begins with a *f* (forte) dynamic and a *marc.* (marcato) marking. The second system continues the piano accompaniment, with a *gradually quieter and slower* instruction above the vocal staff. The piano part features a *f* dynamic in the vocal line and *pp* (pianissimo) in the piano part. The third system shows the piano part with a *dim.* (diminuendo) marking and a *p* (piano) dynamic. The fourth system continues the piano part with a *dim.* marking and a *p* dynamic. The fifth system shows the piano part with a *dim.* marking and a *p* dynamic. The sixth system shows the piano part with a *p* dynamic and a *dim.* marking. The score concludes with a double bar line and a key signature change to one sharp.

Bells

f marc.

gradually quieter and slower

f pp

dim. p pp

dim. p

dim. p

Tempo di Marcia

CHORUS

TENORS

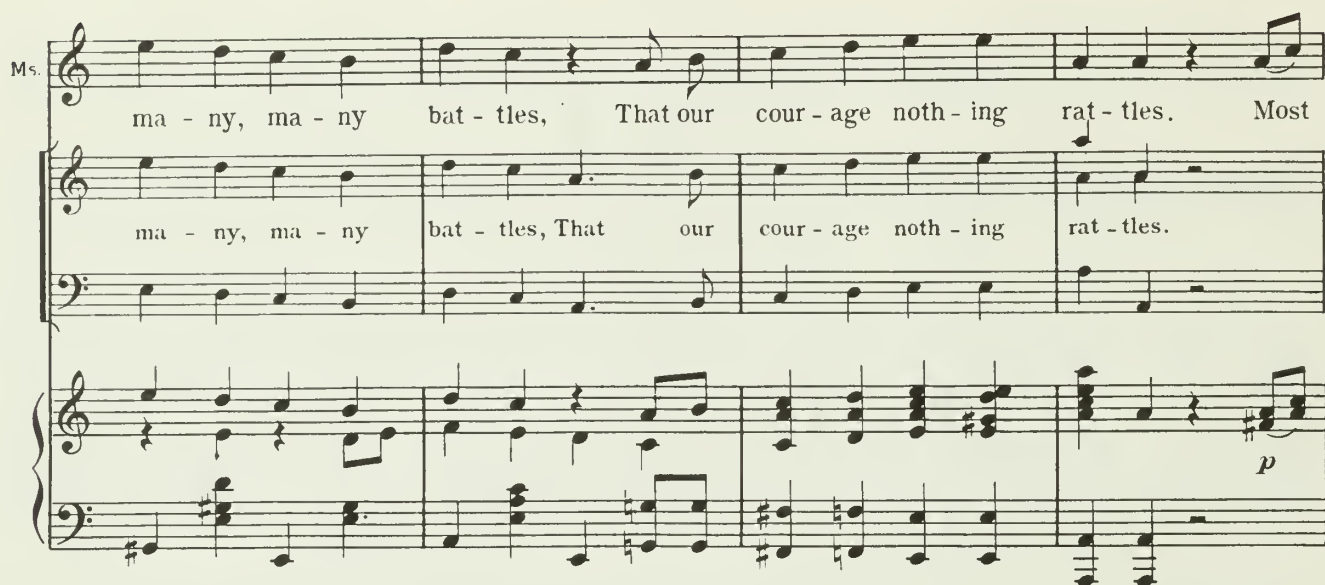
BASSES

Yes, bar- ba-ri-ans, yes, bar - ba - ri-ans When they fight are all Bul -

MASSAKROFF

Proved in

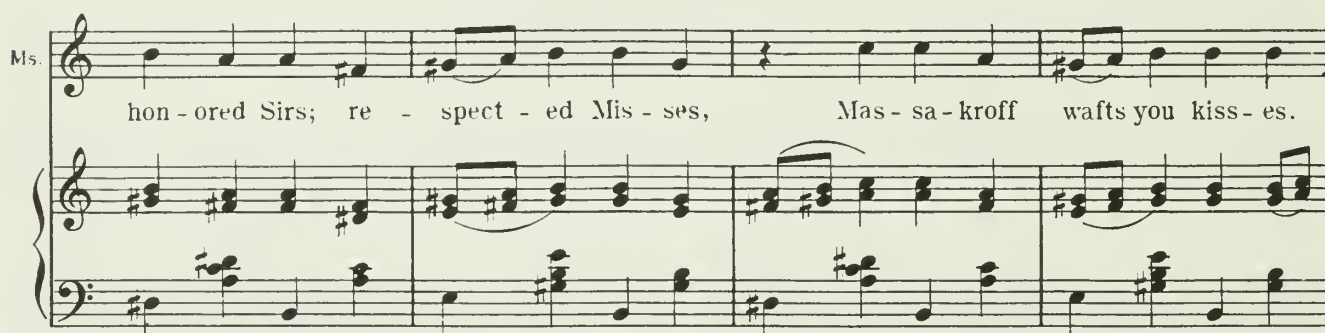
ga - ri-ans, Proved in ma - ny, ma-ny bat-tles, That our cour-age noth-ing rat-tles! Proved in

Ms. 

ma - ny, ma - ny bat - tles, That our cour - age noth - ing rat - tles. Most

ma - ny, ma - ny bat - tles, That our cour - age noth - ing rat - tles.

p

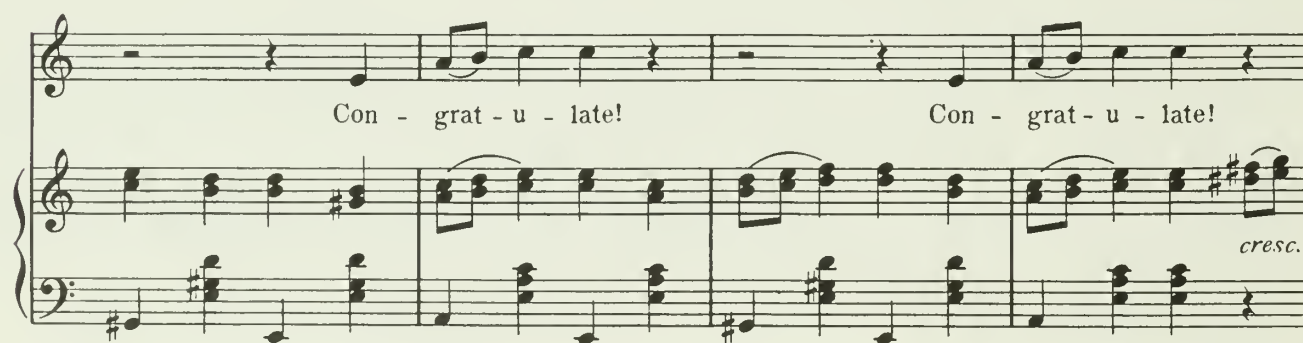
Ms. 

hon - ored Sirs; re - spect - ed Mis - ses, Mas - sa - kroff wafts you kiss - es.



I must the bride-groom con - grat - u - late. I en - vy him his fate, Ha!

cresc. *sf* *p*



Con - grat - u - late! Con - grat - u - late!

cresc.

Ms. *Con - grat - u - late! Con - grat - u - late!*

Ms. *Ha!*

Allegretto
Ms. *Ei! ei! to me this is most queer, How comes it that this man is here? Your*

ALEXIUS
What he? He
POPOFF
Who he?
Ms. *bal-con - y he climbed one night and hid him-self far from my sight?*

MASCHA (to Alex.)

This pho - to-graph she

Al. there! Ei! ei! To me this is — most queer!

P He here? Ei! ei! To me this is — most queer!

accel e cresc.

gave to him When all the lights were dim.

f

(Alex. reading)

p *cresc.*

Allegro impetuoso

ALEXIUS

AURELIA

Oh, In growing weak!

Be-trayed! Be-trayed! — And I loved her so! Be-

CHORUS

SOPR.

ALTO

TEN.

BASS

Be - trayed! Be -

Allegro impetuoso

ff

f

AL.

trayed! Be - trayed! — Ev'ry-thing I know! Your

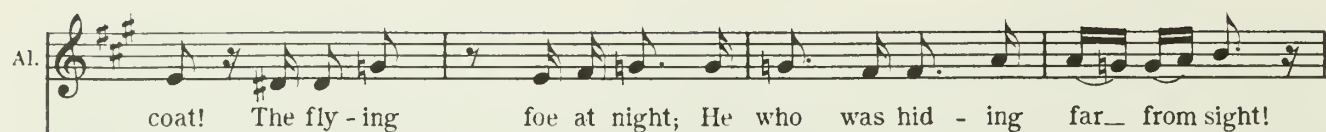
POPOFF

What! What know you? Speak!

trayed! Be - trayed!

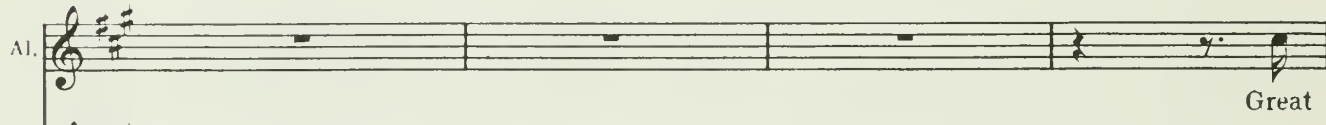
trayed! Be - trayed!

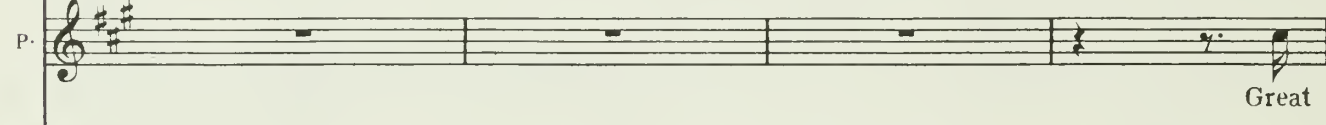
mf

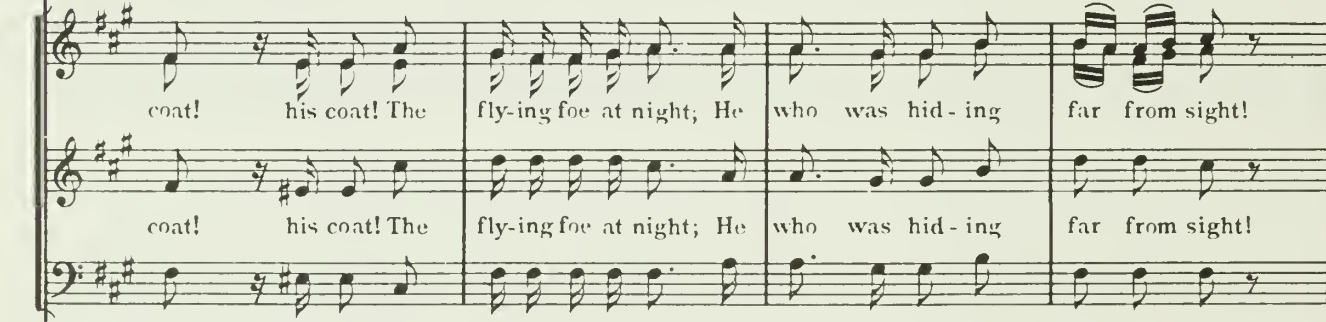
Al.  coat! The fly - ing foe at night; He who was hid - ing far_ from sight!

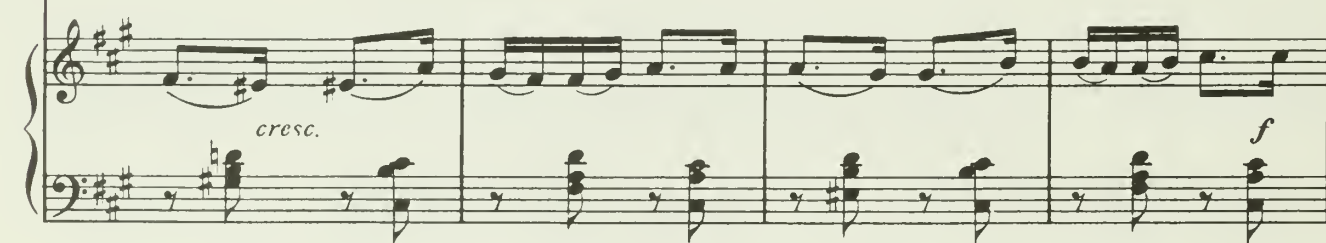
CHORUS.  His
His



Al.  Great

P.  Great

 coat! his coat! The fly-ing foe at night; He who was hid - ing far from sight!
coat! his coat! The fly-ing foe at night; He who was hid - ing far from sight!

 *cresc.* *f*

Al. guns! who would have that be - lieved? To think that we should be de-ceived. De -

I guns! who would have that be - lieved? To think that we should be de-ceived.

pin

Al. *accel.* ceived! De-ceived! Who would have that be -

P De-ceived! De-ceived! Who would have that be -

f

Slow

lieved? BUMERLI For -

P lieved?

Slow

f *mf* *ff* *mf*

(gradually to slow Waltz tempo.)

B

give, for - give, for - give. Why was I there? I

p

B

wished to live. For me were sol - diers run - ning, gun - ning;

B

Their kind at - ten - tions I was shun - ning, I climbed up

p cresc.

B

there to save my skin; That's why I

Finale Act II

B

re - fuge sought with - in. Oh, what a

piu cresc.

B

sor - ry, sor - ry plight! Your daugh-ter saved my

poco string.

B

life that night. She al - so wished to see me

rall.

mf *dim.*

B

live, For - give, for - give, for -

rit.

Allegro

B

give. —

CHORUS.

SOPR. For - give, for - give, for - give, — Why was he

ALTO. For - give, for - give, for - give, — Why was he

TENOR. For - give, for - give, for - give, — Why was he

BASS. For - give, for - give, for - give, — Why was he

Allegro

there? He wished to live. — For him were sol - diers run - ning,

there? He wished to live. — For him were sol - diers run - ning,

gun - ning, Their kind at - ten - tions — he was shun - ning; He climbed up

gun - ning, Their kind at - ten - tions — he was shun - ning; He climbed up

p cresc.

Finale Act II

there — to save his skin, That's why he

there — to save his skin, That's why he

BUMERLI

Oh, what a

ref - uge sought with - in.

ref - uge sought with - in.

piu cresc.

string.

B sor - ry, sor - ry plight! Your daugh-ter

string. *piu*

B

saved my life that night, *rit.* She al - so

mf rit. *dim.*

B

wished to see me live. *rit.* For - give, for -

p

ALEXIUS
a tempo

In dreams I once was your

B

give, for - give.

mp a tempo.

Al.

he - ro, Long, long a - go;

p.

Al. 

But now I am at ze - ro, Yes, that I

Al. 

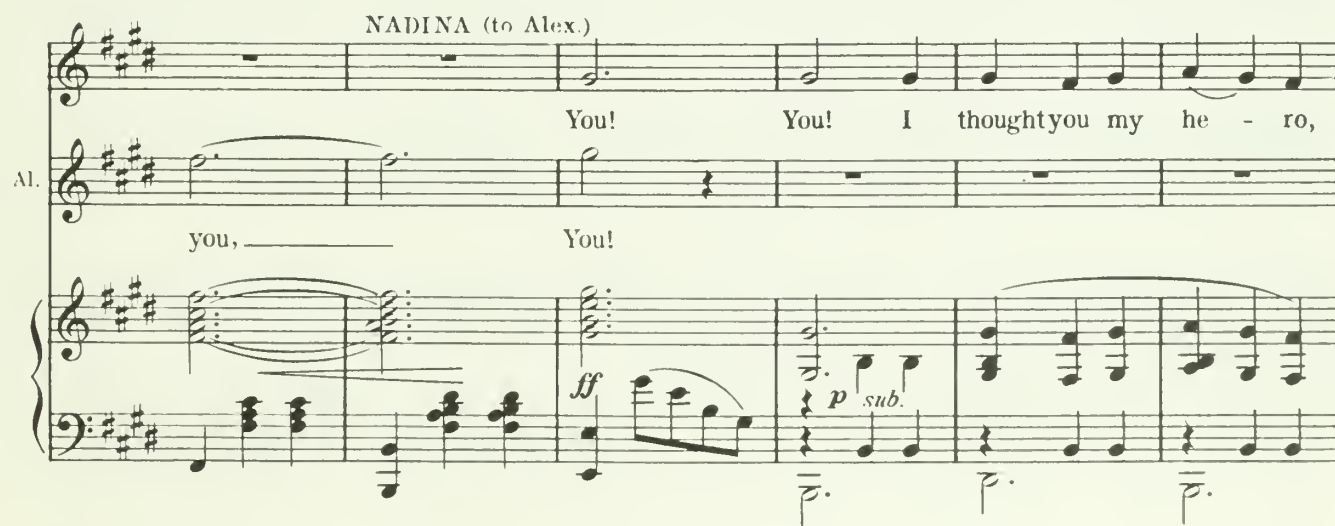
know. You, you, you have dis - mayed me,

string.
mf espr.

Al. 

You have de - ceived me, You have be - trayed me, I loved but

p *a tempo*
cresc. molto.

NADINA (to Alex.) 

You! You! I thought you my he - ro,

you, You!

ff *p sub.*

N

Long, long a - go ——— But now

N

you are at ze - ro! Yes, that is so. ———

cresc.

BUMERLI (to Nad.) *piu cresc. e string.*

Come, come he would dis - grace you, I love you on - ly,

mf espr.

B

Let me em - brace you, I love but you. ———

a tempo
cresc. molto.

Broadly.
NADINA.

rit.

Where, where, where is my he - ro? Where's

MASCHA.

Come, come, now be my he - ro, My

AURELIA.

Where, where, where is her he - ro, Where's

ALEXIUS.

He, he, now is her he - ro, Her

BUMERLI.

I, I, would be your he - ro, Your

POPOFF.

He, he, now is her he - ro, Her

MASSAKROFF.

He, he, now is her he - ro, Her

SOPR.

See, see, see her new he - ro, Her

ALTO.

See, see, see her new he - ro, Her

TEN.

See, see, see her new he - ro, Her

BASS.

Broadly.

rit.

ff

CHORUS.

Animato

N
my i - deal?

M
true i - deal.

Au.
her i - deal.

Al.
new i - deal.

B
true i - deal.

P
new i - deal.

Ms.
new i - deal.

new, — We came here — to a wed - ding feast; This

new, — We came here — to a wed - ding feast; This

new, — We came here — to a wed - ding feast; This

Animato

ff sub. p

in - ter - ests us not the least, A mar - riage we would cel - e - brate,

in - ter - ests us not the least, A mar - riage we would cel - e - brate,

in - ter - ests us not the least, A mar - riage we would cel - e - brate,

Must we con - dole or grat - u - late?

Must we con - dole or grat - u - late?

Must we con - dole or grat - u - late?

accel. e molto cresc.

NADINA

That quick - ly you shall

ff

N

see. _____

N

I set you free! _____ ALEX. You

Al.

set me free? _____ End all that

Al.

binds _____ me to you, _____ You to

Largamente

N
I dreamt that he was my he - ro, Yes, my i -

M
I'll dream that you are my he - ro, Yes, my i -

Au.
She dreamt that he was her he - ro, Yes, her i -

Al.
me? her i -

B
I'll dream that I am your he - ro, Yes, your i -

P
She dreamt that he was her he - ro, Yes, her i -

CHORUS

She dreamt that he was her he - ro, Yes, her i -

She dreamt that he was her he - ro, Yes, her i -

She dreamt that he was her he - ro, Yes, her i -

She dreamt that he was her he - ro, Yes, her i -

Largamente

ff

8

Vivace

N
deal! _____

M
deal! _____

Au.
deal! _____

Al.
deal! _____

B
deal! _____

P
deal! _____

deal! _____

deal! _____

deal! _____

deal! _____

Vivace

8^{va}

CURTAIN

N^o 13*The Chocolate Soldier*

ACT III

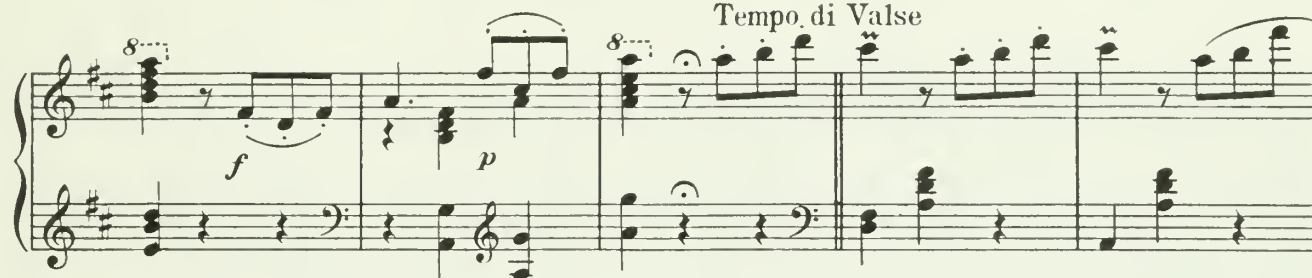
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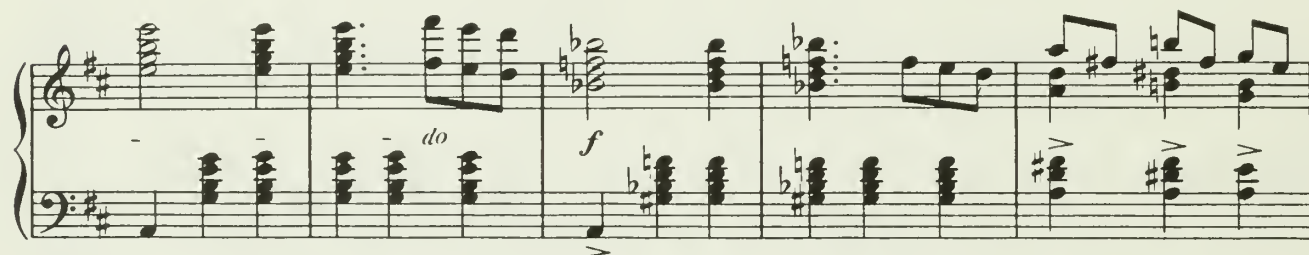
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Maestoso



Tempo di Valse





CHORUS

mf

Sweet - heart! I love - you on - ly, My heart is

mf

Sweet - heart! I love - you on - ly, My heart is

a tempo

mf

true, Sweet - heart! My life is lone - ly

true, Sweet - heart! My life is lone - ly

When far from you; Sweet - heart!

When far from you; Sweet - heart!

stringendo

mf *espress.*

Nought can ef - face you, My heart is hap - py, Now I em - brace you,
Nought can ef - face you, My heart is hap - py, Now I em - brace you,

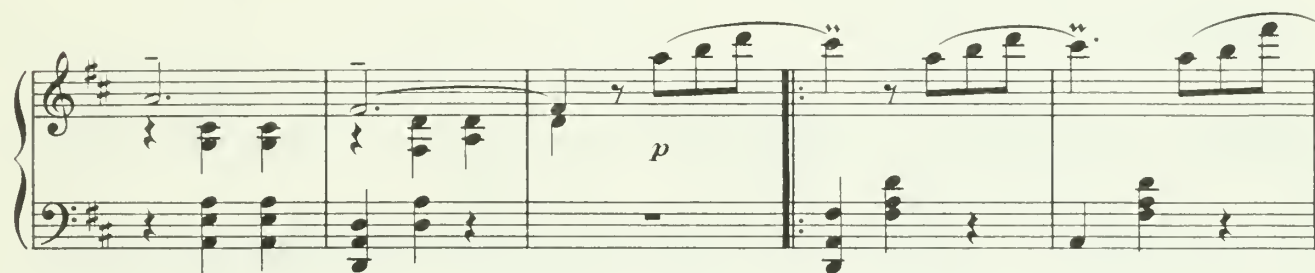
p

Thou art di - vine! Sweet - heart! I
Thou art di - vine! Sweet - heart! I

p cresc. molto *f*

love you on - ly, Sweet - heart mine!
love you on - ly, Sweet - heart mine!

rit. *ff* *a tempo*



№ 14

Falling in Love

Duet

(Alexius, Mascha)

Andante

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It begins with a piano introduction in 6/8 time, marked 'Andante'. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The piano part features a melody in the right hand and a harmonic accompaniment in the left hand, with dynamics ranging from *p* (piano) to *ff* (fortissimo). The score is divided into four systems. The first system shows the initial piano introduction. The second system continues the piano accompaniment. The third system shows the piano accompaniment. The fourth system introduces the vocal part for Alexius, who enters with the word 'Oh' on a long note. The piano accompaniment continues with a *poco rall.* (poco rallentando) marking and ends with a *p* (piano) dynamic.

when you smile and feel like cry - ing, And when you cannot tell the rea - son
when at night you should be sleep - ing, You rest - less lie and toss a - bout the

tranquillo

why, _____ You're in love when you smile while you are
bed, _____ You're in love when you watch the shad - ows

pp *p*

cry - ing, Or when you laugh when you would rath - er sigh. _____ I am no
creep - ing, Or when at dawn you rise with ach - ing head. _____

espress.

MASCHA

schem - er nor a fool - ish dream - er, I am a girl, a girl of common

sense — But could I find a true and hon - est lov - er, Oh I would

cresc.

love him with a love in - tense. — I

dim. *poco rit.*

am he, Yes, I am he the lov - er you seek, I. —

MASCHA

— Oh when you smile and feel like dy - ing, Or when you laugh while you are

p dolce

sigh - ing, And you can give no rea - son why, But still you

ALEXIUS

long to sing and cry. - Oh, when the woods to you are

mf più mosso

call - ing, It is a sign that you are fall - ing, falling in

espress

MASCHA

fall - ing, fall - ing deep in

love, yes, deep in love, fall - ing, fall - ing deep in

rit.

dim.

1 love... love. Then love. 2 love.

a tempo
dolce

DANCE.

mf

cresc.

dim.

No 15

The Letter Song

Solo

(Nadina)

Allegretto

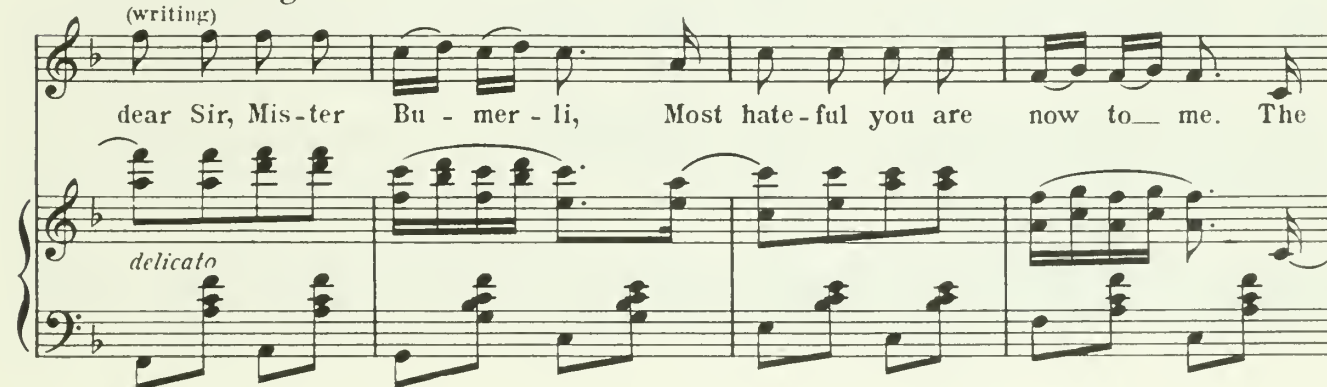


NADINA



Poco Allegro.

(writing)



sec-ond-ly you're much to smart To please a sim-ple maid-en's heart, And

third - ly you're an aw - ful flirt, Your man - ner is too flip and pert.

cresc.

(Humming)

Mh! Mh! Mh! Mh! Mh! Mh!

p *dim.*

No girl would care to

p

meet you twice, And this to you is my ad - vice, If you would cease to

make folks smile, A - dopt a less con - ceit - ed style, And

try to act, that's if — you — can, Less like an ass, more

like a — man. Don't let me see you a - ny - more. No, not

rit.

cresc. rit.

a tempo

a - ny - more, with scorn Na - di - na Pop - off,

there! Na - di - na Pop - off!

f

piu f

ff

there!

8- faster

dim

f

The musical score is written for a single melodic line and piano accompaniment. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The tempo is marked 'a tempo'. The lyrics are 'a - ny - more, with scorn Na - di - na Pop - off, there! Na - di - na Pop - off!'. The piano part features a series of chords and some melodic lines, including a 14-measure phrase and a section marked '8- faster'. Dynamics include 'f' (forte), 'piu f' (pianissimo forte), 'ff' (fortissimo), and 'dim' (diminuendo). The score ends with a repeat sign and a fermata.

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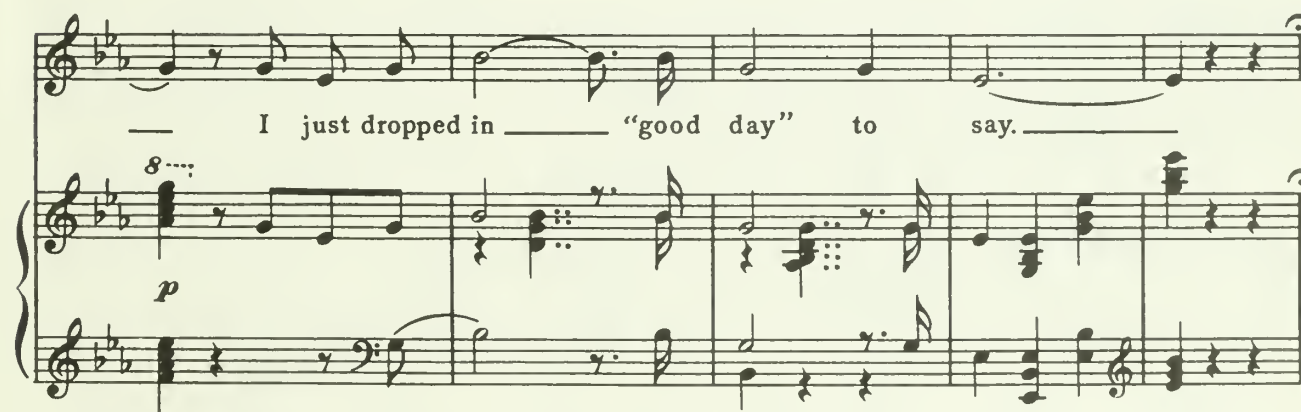
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The Letter Song

DUET

(Nadina and Bumerli)

Music by
OSCAR STRAUS

Allegretto



BUMERLI.(reading) Poco Allegro

My dear sir, Mis-ter Bu - mer-li, Most hate-ful you are now to me. mh,
 (2nd verse, Nadina) Read far-ther and you'll plainly see, That you are noth-ing, sir, to me. mh,

dim. *p* *mf*

— mh! — mh! — mh! mh! mh! — mh! — mh! — mh! mh! The
 No

p

rea - son why I plain-ly- state, The first one is you came too late, mh -
 girl would care to meet you twice, And this to you is my ad-vice, mh -

— mh — mh — mh! mh, mh — mh — mh — mh, mh, mh, —

cresc.

B. — mh, — mh. — Nadina mh, — mh, — mh, — Bumerli mh, —

p *dim.*

— mh, — mh! —

B. And sec - ond - ly, you're much too smart to
If you would cease to make folks smile, a -

8

please a sim - ple maid-en's heart,
dopt a less con - cei - ted style, mh, — mh, — mh, — mh, mh, mh, —

N. And third - ly, you're an
And try to act, that's

B. — mh, — mh, — mh, mh, —

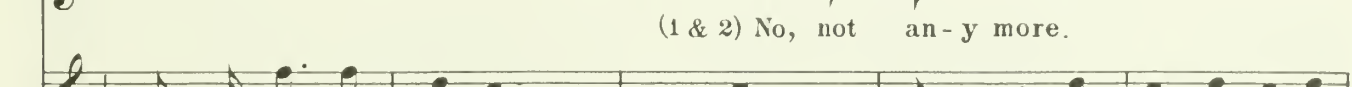
N. aw - ful_ flirt, Your man - ner is too flip_ and_ pert.
if_ you_ can, Less like an ass, more like_ a_ man.

B. (1 & 2) Don't

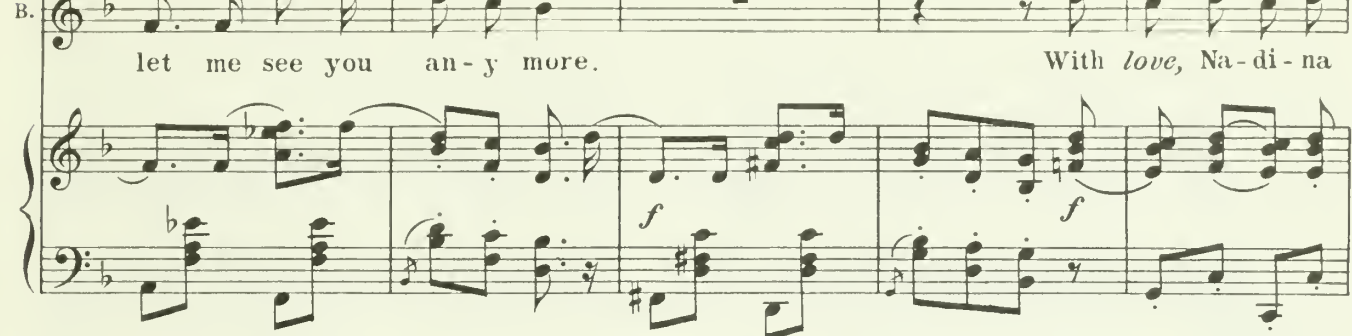
The Letter Song 4 (*Duet*)

N. 

(1 & 2) No, not an-y more.

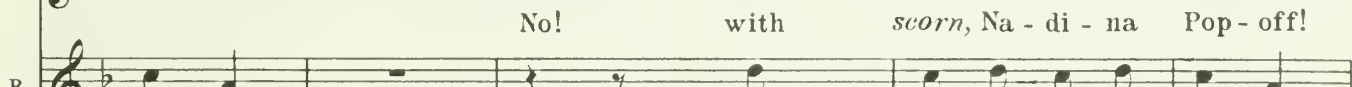
B. 

let me see you an-y more. With love, Na-di-na



N. 

No! with scorn, Na-di-na Pop-off!

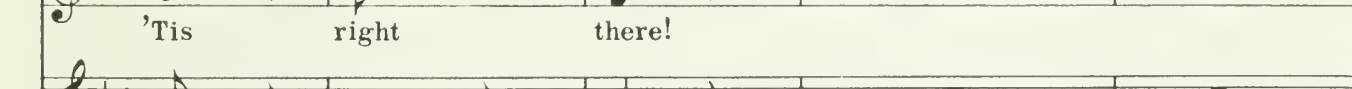
B. 

Pop-off! with love, Na-di-na Pop-off!



N. 

'Tis right there! *faster*

B. 

'Tis right there! *faster*




No 18

"Thank the Lord the war is over"

Finale III

Allegretto

PRINCIPALS AND CHORUS IN UNISON.

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of four systems of music. Each system has a vocal line on a single staff and a piano accompaniment on two staves (treble and bass clef). The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 2/4. The tempo is marked 'Allegretto'. The dynamics include *ff* (fortissimo), *p* (piano), and *f* (forte). The lyrics are written below the vocal line.

Thank the Lord the war is o - ver, Now we

he - roes are in clo - ver And the fight - ing, fin - ished, done! We're pre -

pared for love and fun. So a - way with mel - an - cho - ly, Let us

kiss and all be jol - ly! We will sing and dance and play Both night and

P. day. *Allegro*

ALL PRINCIPALS

SOPR. Thank the Lord the war is o - ver, Now these

ALTO. Thank the Lord the war is o - ver, Now these

TEN. Thank the Lord the war is o - ver, Now these

BASS. Thank the Lord the war is o - ver, Now these

Allegro

A.P. he - roes are in clo - ver, All the fight - ing, fin - ished, done! We're pre -

he - roes are in clo - ver, All the fight - ing, fin - ished, done! We're pre -

he - roes are in clo - ver, All the fight - ing, fin - ished, done! We're pre -

sf

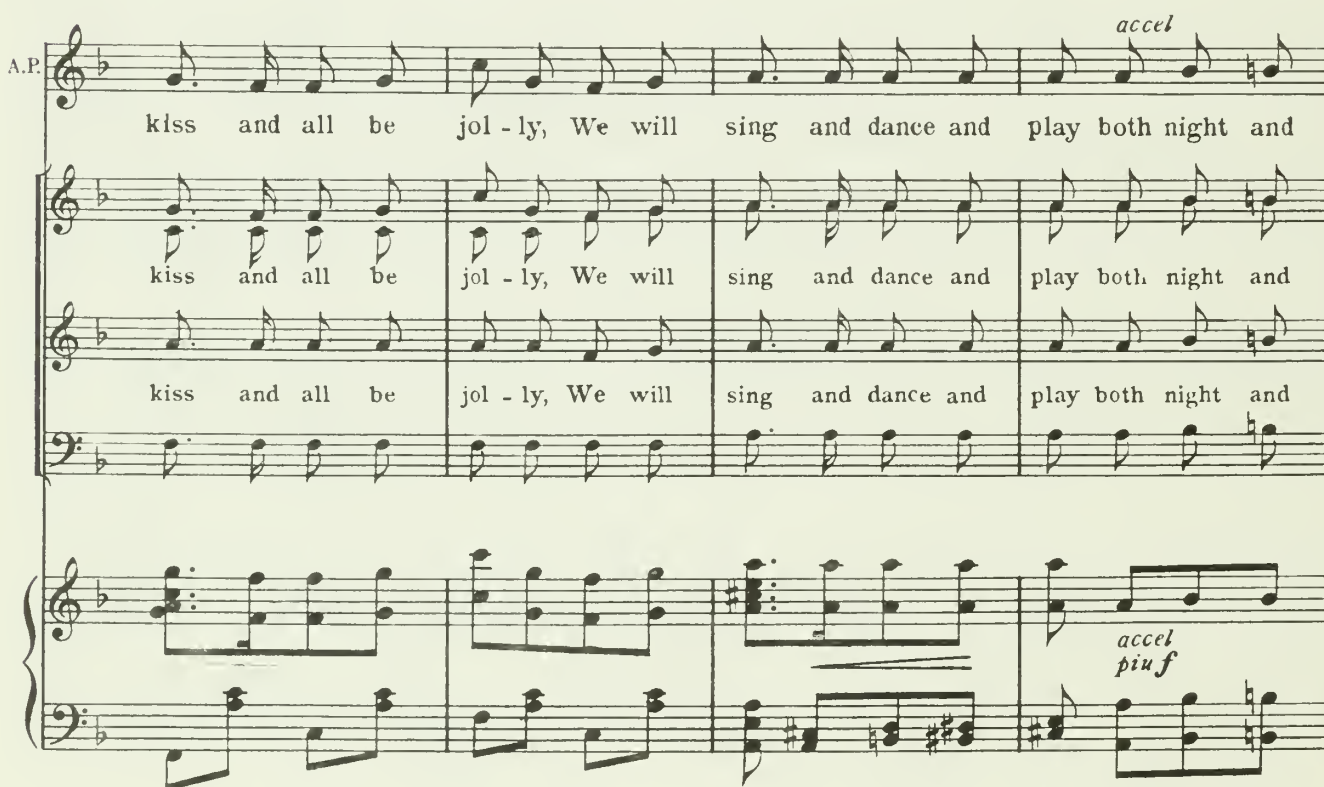
A.P. 

pared for love and fun. So a - way with mel - an - chol - y Let us

pared for love and fun. So a - way with mel - an - chol - y Let us

pared for love and fun. So a - way with mel - an - chol - y Let us

sf

A.P. 

kiss and all be jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and

kiss and all be jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and

kiss and all be jol - ly, We will sing and dance and play both night and

accel

*accel
piu f*

A.P.

day! We'll sing and play with care a - - way, Sing, dance and

day! We'll sing and play with care a - - way, Sing, dance and

day! We'll sing and play with care a - - way, Sing, dance and

A.P.

play, night — and day.

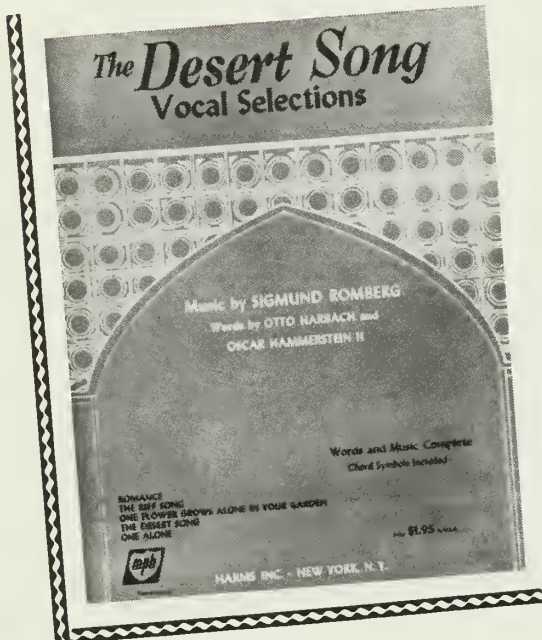
play, night — and day.

play, night — and day.

ff

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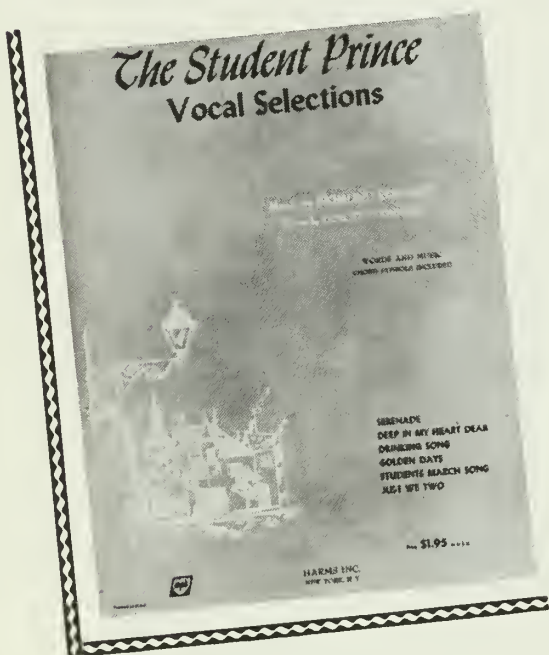
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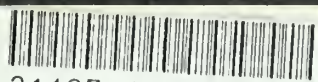


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